The first thing in the morning

The Washington Post.

Weather—Partly cloudy and much colder today; tomorrow fair and colder; fresh to strong northwest winds.
Temperature yesterday—Highest, 54; lowest, 49.
Weather details on page 16.

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JURY CONVICTS W. L. MOFFATT IN STOCK DEAL

Capital Broker Faces Six-Year Sentence in $21,000 Case.

TWO FALSE-PRETENSE COUNTS SUSTAINED

Defendant, on Stand, Says He "Held Bag" in Forming Trust.

FIXING OF PENALTY DEFERRED BY COURT

Statements Made at Arrest Lead to Downfall of Policeman Allen.

William L. Moffatt, Washington investment banker, was found guilty by a jury in District of Columbia Supreme Court yesterday on two counts of an indictment charging false pretenses in connection with alleged stock transactions.

Justice William Hitz deferred sentence. Under the code the justice can impose a maximum sentence of three years on each count.

The jury took the case at 2:20 o'clock and less than two hours later returned its verdict. The indictment on which Moffatt was tried also contained two counts charging larceny after trust and under instructions from the bench the jury brought in a not guilty verdict on these.

Moffatt immediately was returned to jail, where he has been since early last week when he was unable to make $5,000 bond on an embezzlement charge contained in a warrant sworn to by United States Attorney Leo A. Rover. Two days later a warrant containing an additional charge was served on him in jail. So far the grand jury has not acted on either of these charges. In addition to the indictment on which he was tried Moffatt still faces two other indictments. One was returned by the same grand jury in 1928 that returned the bill on which he was convicted while the other was returned a few weeks ago.

Allen's Waterloo.

It was while arresting Moffattt on the warrant containing the charges incorporated in the last indictment that Pvt. Robert J. Allen made the statement that indirectly resulted in his suspension from the force. Allen declared that he would conduct a personal investigation to determine why Rover had not brought Moffatt to trial on the two indictments then pending. This created considerable furore in the Police Department, and caused Rover to decide to try the banker at the earliest moment.

Rover announced immediately after the jury returned its verdict that he would fix a date for the trial of Moffatt on the other indictments as soon after January 1 as possible.

Moffatt was convicted on an indictment charging him with defrauding Mrs. Marie T. Pauli out of a total of $21,250.

Misrepresented Backing.

Testimony offered by the Government was to the effect that Moffatt had represented to Mrs. Pauli that the Riggs National Bank was behind the Bankers Investment Corporation, a company he was organizing. It also was pointed out that Mrs. Pauli had not received any stock or any settlement on her claim until after she had taken the matter up with her attorney.

The defense, which was conducted by John H. Burnett and Alfred Goldstein, of the firm of O'Shea, Burnett & Goldstein, denied the allegations.

Moffatt took the stand yesterday just before the taking of evidence was concluded and denied that he ever had represented that the bank was interested in the proposed company. He declared that he had merely stated that the bank was among one whose stock the proposed company expected to handle.

Tells His Troubles.

He went at length into details of the troubles he had encountered in organizing the company and presented account books as documentary evidence to show he had obtained subscriptions and had even gone to the trouble of organizing a directorate, but that the persons who had been selected for those positions had rebelled when he refused to organize under the corporation laws of Delaware instead of Maryland. Moffatt denied that he had converted the money paid to him by Mrs. Pauli to his own use and declared he had received only 6 per cent commission on the sales he had made. He also declared that the directorate which left him holding the bag later organized a company of their own.

Whether Moffatt will appeal from the verdict of the jury could not be learned last night. His attorneys, however, have four days in which to file a bill of exceptions.

Southern States Special—One night out to Florida and Georgia. Leaves 3:30 p. m. SEABOARD. Phone National 0637.—Adv.

Scrivener Case Ends With Suicide Verdict

Judge Files Grand Jury Report That He Died By Own Hand.

ARTHUR B. SCRIVENER.

"Death by suicide" probably will be the final verdict written across the records in the case of Detective Sergeant Arthur B. Scrivener, found dead in a Georgetown alley more than three years ago.

In a brief report the District grand jury yesterday returned such a verdict, although it was contrary to that of a coroner's jury which held at the time of Scrivener's death that he had been murdered. Grand jury action is expected to close the case completely.

The report, filed with Justice Peyton Gordon of the District Supreme Court by James N. Fitzpatrick, jr., foreman of the grand jury, followed a month of intensive investigation, during the course of which more than 90 witnesses were examined, while Department of Justice agents aided in seeking to establish a partial fingerprint on the death gun, found at the scene, as a clew to a possible murder.

Senator Heflin (Democrat), of Alabama, who previously said that Assistant United States Attorney Pearl McCall had told him that she believed that Scrivener was slain by a police-grand jury is believed to have been man, last night said that the action of the grand jury in calling the detective's death a suicide was "awful."

"I am very much surprised and disappointed," said Heflin. "Like a world of others, I still believe and always will believe that Scrivener was murdered."

Ruling that Scrivener came to his death by a self-inflicted wound, the

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WITNESSES AID ACCUSED CHIEF OF DETECTIVES

Kelly Urged Doctor to Withhold Verdict, Is Claim.

ALLEN STATEMENT MISLAID BY POLICE

Opposing Lawyers Clash Over Disappearance of Document.

FIRST LAXITY HINT COMES FROM STOTT

Captain Says He Would Have Kept Written Record of McPherson's Moves.

Inspector William S. Shelby, the assistant superintendent of police, who quotes Shakespeare and reads the classics, and Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, son of Lieut. William F. Kelly, of another day in police annals, went on trial before an extraordinary trial board yesterday charged with bungling and worse in the police investigation of the death of Mrs. Virginia McPherson, who was found strangled on the floor of her Park Lane apartment last September 14.

There was irony in the fact that the trial which may cost Kelly his reputation and career was held in the old Sixth Police Stationhouse, for it was there that Kelly played as a boy when his father was commander of the precinct and it was in the Sixth Precinct that Kelly first started pounding the bricks as a young policeman a quarter of a century ago, when the death of his father ended plans for a college career.

Nine of the 32 witnesses who have been subpenaed by the prosecution occupied the witness chair in the course of the first day of the trial, but under the sometimes savage and always relentless and determined attack of the defense attorneys their testimony might have been from witnesses for the defense.

Detectives Aid Kelly.

Had it not been for Lieut. Kelly, two witnesses testified, there would not have been any autopsy or inquest, for it was Lieut. Kelly who asked Dr. Joseph D. Rogers, actifg coroner at the time, to withhold a certificate of death by suicide until he could have time to check up on all angles of the case.

This testimony was given by Detective Sergt. Dennis Cullinane, a veteran of 30 years on the force, who accompanied Kelly to the McPherson apartment when the nurse's body was discovered and from Precinct Detective William F (otherwise Billy) Burke, of the Third Precinct, who was present in the McPherson apartment and heard Kelly make the request for a delay.

Dr. Edward A. Gorman, a physician in the Park Lane Apartments, who made what he said was a superficial examination of Mrs. McPherson's body soon after it was found, was the only witness who had first-hand knowledge of the case who did not say he believed Mrs. McPherson committed suicide.

Dr. Gorman Is Quizzed.

Gorman said that he heard Dr. Rogers tell Kelly he was satisfied it was a case of suicide, but, "I shook my head and said 'no,' but Dr. Rogers didn't hear me." Henry I. Quinn, who with George E. Strong, is counsel defending Shelby, took the doctor savagely to task.

"Do you mean to say that you heard the coroner say that it was a plain case of suicide and that he was ready to issue a certificate to that effect, and yet you did not make known to him your differing opinion?" Quinn asked.

Gorman said that was so, adding that Rogers was the coroner, not he. Quinn tried to get Gorman to admit that he should have said something to the coroner, but Gorman refused, and when Quinn insisted that it "seemed to him" Gorman should have done so, the physician rejoined, "You do not know doctors," and Quinn said apparently he didn't.

Dr. Gorman brought a laugh when he said that he never read the newspapers, except the headlines, because they simply said the same old thing over and over again. Headlines are all there are in some papers, Quinn suggested, but Gorman was impartial and included all of the papers in the same class.

James A. O'Shea, defense counsel for Kelly, tried to force an admission from Gorman that he had attended Mrs. McPherson on the Thursday night before her body was discovered. But this the doctor emphatically denied, declaring that he never had seen Mrs. McPherson nor her husband before he was called to the McPherson apartment to examine Mrs. McPherson's body shortly after noon on Saturday, September 14.

Robert E. Lynch and Walter L. Fowler, assistants to the corporation

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JAPAN RECANTS ON DEMAND FOR 14 CRUISERS

Delegates Intimate She Will Be Satisfied at Lower Ratio.

TALK WITH STIMSON SCHEDULED TODAY

Lower Percentage Would Not Disturb Balance of U. S.-Britain.

COUNTRY TO INSIST ON NEW SUBMARINES

Friction Develops Between Adams and Stimson on Conferences.

Without making any binding commitments, Japan has nevertheless signified to the United States that she will be satisfied with twelve 10,000 ton cruisers, or nearer to 60 instead of the 70 per cent of American big cruiser strength for which she contends in theory.

This intimation, conveyed to Secretary of State Stimson, who will resume private talks with the Japanese naval delegates today, is further evidence of the spirit of occomodation with which the empire approaches the London five-power parley. Allocation of twelve large cruisers to Japan will be satisfactory to the United States and, as learned on reliable authority yesterday, will also be acceptable to the British.

Had Japan insisted upon a ratio of seven heavy cruisers for each ten allowed the United States, the Anglo-American balance might have been so far upset as to have forced an upward revision of Great Britain's proposed 338,000 ton cruiser total. But the figure of twelve 10,000 tonners is advanced by Japan as fulfilling her needs without disturbing the Anglo-American balance.

Result of Talk.

The figure of twelve of the largest size of cruisers was arrived at Tuesday during the three hour private talk with Reijiro Wakatsuki and Admiral Takarabe, Japan's delegates, had with Stimson in the library of the Secretary of State's home, Woodley.

For more than an hour the Japanese, through an interpreter, explained Japan's naval position and views. Then under questioning of Stimson they indicated that twelve big cruisers would be considered adequate from a defensive standpoint, assuming Japan is granted a compensatory larger quota of submarines.

If the United States is alloted twenty ten thousand-ton cruisers at the London conference, Japan's proportionate quota would be fourteen of these ships based upon her projected 10-10-7 thesis. So closely do the naval experts reckon the idea of Japan's having fourteen of these war vessels in the Pacific, while Great Britain's prospective big cruiser fleet totals only fifteen, would be received with dismay by the British admiralty and might provoke some alarm, also, along the American side of the Pacific. Twelve cruisers for Japan, however, appears to satisfy the admirals. Moreover, that figure represents Japan's present building program, unincreased. To be sure, it is not a reduction.

Hints at Reduction.

On that point, Japan also hinted to Stimson that she might agree to reduce her demands for 70 per cent strength in auxiliary craft to a point between 60 and 65 per cent. These mathematical adjustments are to be left to the conference, but Japan's attitude has been sufficiently disclosed in the preliminary talk with the American delegates to show that she

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Mrs. Eugenia Hoyt Won by Freshman

Representative's Daughter and Student Obtain License to Marry.

Reno, Nev., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Eugenia Bankhead Hoyt, daughter of Representative Bankhead, of Alabama, was not joking the other day when she obtained her divorce from Morton M. Hoyt, when she said she was not going to remarry Hoyt again, but that she was going to Honolulu.

Today under the name of Jeanne B. Hoyt she obtained a license to marry Lawson Butt, who gave his address as Honolulu. The license was obtained shortly after noon and the couple then started out to be married, but apparently went to a neighboring town, for they had not been married here late today, canvass of ministers and judges indicated.

Butt is a freshman student at the University of Nevada and is the son of Mrs. L. M. Butt, of Santa Monica, Calif. The couple intend to go to Honolulu.

NORTH AFRICA CRASH KILLS BRITISH FLIERS IN NONSTOP ATTEMPT

Associated Press Photo.

Squadron Leader A. G. Jones-Williams and Flight Lieut. A. H. Jenkins, Royal Air Force fliers, who were killed when their plane fell in Tunis as they were attempting a nonstop flight from London to Cape Town.

Jones-Williams, Jenkins Perish as Plane Hits Mountain at Night.

TRAGEDY DISCOVERED BY TUNIS TRIBESMEN

Wreckage Is Identified as London-Cape Town Distance Craft.

PAIR SOUGHT RECORD HELD BY FRENCHMAN

Same Men Were Heroes of 4,000-Mile Karachi Hop Last April.

London, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Two distinguished pilots of the Royal Air Force have met death in an attempt to fly without stop from Cranwell Airdrome in Lincolnshire to Cape Town and thereby established a new world distance record.

Lord Thomson, air minister, late tonight announced that the plane which natives earlier today had reported as having crashed last night in the Zaghouan region of Tunis, in northern Africa, was the Fairey monoplane of the British pilots and that both had been killed. He had no further details, but it appeared they har struck the mountains after nightfall.

Thirty Hours of Silence.

The men were Squadron Leader A. G. Jones-Williams, and Flight Lieut. A. H. Jenkins. They left Cranwell early yesterday morning and had kept the air ministry informed by radio of their progress until they were about 50 miles northwest of the Mediterranean island of Sardinia yesterday afternoon.

More than 30 hours of silence followed and anxiety for their welfare rapidly mounted here. After Lord Thomson informed newspaper men of the fatal ending of the flight he carried the news to the House of Lords which was still sitting.

"I am sorry to say," he told them, "I have just heard that the Fairey-Napier monoplane crashed 20 miles south of Tunis (the city) and both occupants were killed. I have no further details. The report was undated and comes from the consul general at Tunis."

Sought Coste's Laurels.

The air ministry announced that the crash occurred last night. The news was confirmed by the French resident general at Tunis who reported to Paris that the airplane had been idientified as the missing British craft.

The British aviators were attempting to break the world's record for long-distance straight-line flights held by Dieudonne Caste, French ace, and Maurice Bellonte.

Squadron Leader Jones-Williams is one of the best pilots in the R. A. F., and, with Flight Lieut. Jenkins, attempted a nontsop flight from London to Calcutta last April. They were forced down at Karachi, India, by lack of fuel after flying 4,100 miles.

It was partly to establish empire communications and partly with the hope of setting a new world distance record that they attempted the 6,000-odd-mile flight to Cape Town.

MASS MEETING HITS CROWDED SCHOOLS

Lack of Adequate Buildings in Capital Deplored in View of Wealth.

PORTABLES ARE SCORED

The lack of adequate school buildings in the District was deplored last night by a senator, a bishop, a representative and a school principal in view of the "prodigal" wealth of the United States and the fact that this is the Capital of the Nation at a mass meeting of Chevy Chase parents at the E. V. Brown School, Connecticut avenue and McKinley street.

The chief purpose of the gathering, attended by approximately 800 persons, was to work up sentiment in the community for the alleviation of congested school conditions and particularly for the passage of two items in the District budget for 1931, viz., the building of an eight-room school for Broad Branch and the purchase of a site for a new elementary school west of Connecticut avenue to parallel a site obtained on the east side of the thoroughfare.

The portables, two of which are now at Broad Branch, came in for the greatest criticism by the speakers. Even Proctor L. Dougherty, chairman of the District Commissioners, took a rap at them.

"Why do we have to appeal in this prodigal country for things that are fundamental?" queried the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington, who declared he was astounded to learn of the crowded conditions in the E. V. Brown School.

"The school situation in Washington is without parallel in the country," he added. "It is disgraceful. Those who are responsible for this lack of school facilities should realize that the education of children transcends in importance every item of legislation now in either house of Congress."

Senator Burton K. Wheeler, of Montana, who has sent several children to Chevy Chase schools, said that every time he thought of Washington schools he was proud that he came from "the backwoods State" of Montana. Even the Philippine Islands have more up-to-date school buildings than the Capital, he declared.

"And there's no excuse for it, either," he continued. "The United

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WEST SNOW-BOUND; COLD SWEEPS SOUTH

East Enjoys Spring Temperature While Weather Man Plays Pranks.

WHITE YULE IN CHICAGO

(By the Associated Press.)

The weather man played hop-scotch with these United States yesterday blasting the Southwest with icy breath, creating a tornado in the South proper and clipping the Western plains with a blizzard while New Yorkers were put to no more discomfort than braving spring-like showers.

Unseasonable weather could well be the summing up word in any one section of the country. While the ordinarily balmy Southwest wrapped itself in ulsters, the Eastern seaboard, usually the playground of December snow, brought out umbrellas and lighter raiment.

The only section of the East reporting typical December temperatures was upper New York State where a 48-hour rain turned to ice as wintry blasts swooped down, crippled transportation, sagged down telephone and telegraph poles and in general created havoc.

Louisiana reported a wind of tornado proportions. Three residences were demolished in Alexandria and four persons were known to have been injured.

From Kansas City west, south and north, polar weather was followed by heavy snowfall, but even that was bearable, it having raised a fog that for the past week had hung over the section.

Chicago reported heavily drifting snows. Communication was disrupted. Traffic accidents were numerous, two men were dead, supposedly from the bitter cold.

New Orleans and other Southern points shivered from a frigid hurricane which swept down from the Rockies. The thermometer dropped from 70 to as low as 22 degrees. In New York Harbor the summery showers caused a heavy fog that indirectly resulted in two ships crashing in the outer harbor. All passengers were saved but one of the liners was believed sinking.

No relief has been promised the hinter regions. New York has been

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DE PRIEST IN DEBUT APPEALS FOR RACE

Legislator's House Address Is First Formal Speech by Negro Since 1901.

PRAISES ACTION IN HAITI

In the first formal speech that a Negro had delivered in the halls of Congress in 28 years, Representative Oscar DePriest (Republican), of Illinois, yesterday made an impassioned plea for better treatment of the "black people of America," as well as those of Haiti.

Representative DePriest, tall and white-haired, arose to speake in favor of the resolution creating a commission of seven to study conditions in turbulent Haiti. Shortly afterward the resolution was adopted and sent to the Senate.

Word that DePriest was on his feet spread through the Capitol, and the chamber and the galleries filled rapidly. When he had concluded his remarks the Republicans burst into applause, but the Democrats remained unmoved.

DePriest took several jabs at Southern Democrats for the treatment accorded Negroes below the Mason-Dixon line, and then he congratulated them for taking such an interest in the black people of Haiti.

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COURT HEARS PLEAS ON SMITH RECEIVER

Justice Wheat Takes Matter Under Advisement After Lengthy Argument.

REMOVAL IS EXPLAINED

After hearing several hours of argument yesterday afternoon Justice Alfred A. Wheat in District of Columbia Supreme Court took under advisement the question of whether a receiver should be appointed for the F. H. Smith Co. and for Frederick N. Zihlman, representative from Maryland; Daniel R. Crissinger, former Comptroller of the Currency; G. Bryan Pitts, chairman of the board of the company, and Samuel J. Henry, president. Zihlman and Crissinger were referred to as directors of the company although the former recently resigned.

The argument was on the petition filed recently by Andrew B. Cauldwell, Grace Cauldwell, both of 3401 Sixteenth street northwest; Mary H. Farmer, of 1264 Columbia road northwest, and Eva B. Middleton, of 1519 Oak street northwest. Claim was made that the assets of the company are being dissipated; that they had been moved out of the District of Columbia, and that the receiver

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Auburn Riot Pistols All Accounted For

Auburn, N. Y., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—All twelve pistols used by convict mutineers at Auburn State Prison in their outbrbeak a week ago have been accounted for, Acting Warden Frank L. Christian said today.

Active steps are being taken to prevent a recurrence of the scene of last Wednesday. A large quantity of gas equipment, including several long-range tear-gas guns, arrived at the prison this morning, according to the acting warden.

Drunken Man Kills Three; Revenge Believed Motive

Another Trio Is Wounded; Slayer's Death List Is Discovered.

Romney, W. Va., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Seeking vengeance, authorities believed, upon those who had sent him to jail, an intoxicated man set forth with a shotgun and a "death list" here today, killing three men and wounding two women and a child.

Walter Crabtree, 35, the killer, who was released from the county jail two weeks ago after serving a sentence for possessing liquor, was held tonight in a cell at Keyser in an adjoining county, authorities fearing the possibility of violence.

Sheriff J. B. Saville, who said Crabtree was intoxicated when arrested, expressed doubt the man was crazed by liquor. He believed Crabtree sought out his victims in revenge for his incarceration.

On Crabtree's person, the sheriff said, a list of names, including those of two of the men slain, was found. This was regarded by Saville as a "death list" which Crabtree had in-

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RAISING REINDEER

That Santa Claus is not the only one who makes use of these sturdy animals is amply proved in a cleverly written article by Lucy Salamanca, which indicates that raising reindeer in Alaska gives promise of becoming one of the major occupations of Uncle Sam's Arctic territory . . . The surprising uses to which these animals may be put and the value of their by-products are authoritatively set forth in Sunday's Post—

TABLOID MAGAZINE

Burke's Arrest Promised Soon; Machine Guns Traced

The New British Embassy

A detailed description of how Britain will adorn our Capital City with the new British Embassy, rapidly nearing completion, out Massachusetts avenue extended, will be given by David Rankin Barbee in the Tabloid Magazine included with the coming Sunday's Post . . . This enormous new structure is a model for the whole world and embodies every provision for beauty, comfort and utilitarian service.

THE WASHINGTON POST

Police Watching Chicago Refuge of Reputed Bank Robber.

Chicago, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Arrest of Fred Burke was promised soon by Patrick Roche, chief investigator for the State's attorney. Early tonight, however, the reputed desperado, bank robber and killer still was at large.

Roche inferred that detectives had the Chicago hiding place of Burke under surveillance. The investigator also announced he had traced the ownership of two machine guns found in the Burke bungalow at St. Joseph, Mich., after Burke had killed a policeman there last Saturday.

Bullets fired from one of these guns have been identified tentatively as similar to bullets found in the bodies of seven Moran gangsters who were massacred last February in a North Clark street garage.

Roche said gun No. 2347 was purchased November 12, 1924, by Deputy Sheriff Leslie Farmer, of Marion, Ill., during disturbances there. Since Farmer was reported to have been as-

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NEWS of SUBURBAN Washington and the Surrounding States

Appears on Pages 4, 5 and 22 Today

HOOVER SUGAR DUTY EFFORT IS CLAIMED

Letter Purports to Show He Tried to Bring Committee and Interests Together.

ENVOY'S MISSIVE IS READ

(Associated Press.)

President Hoover was represented as having sought to bring members of the House ways and means committee and representatives of Cuban sugar interests together during consideration by the committee of the pending tariff bill, in a letter introduced yesterday into the record of the Senate lobby committee.

Another letter named Gen. Enoch Crowder, former Ambassador to Cuba, who favors a low sugar duty, as having prepared a memorandum on limiting sugar imports from the Philippines, and as having learned "that the plans of the general staff provide that in case of war any attempt to keep a traffic lane open between the Philippines and the United States would be promptly abandoned."

Both communications were written by H. C. Lakin, president of the Cuba company, which deals in Cuban sugar, who was testifying when they were presented.

The first purported that the President had instructed Walter Newton, one of his secretaries, to establish the contracts.

Written Last April.

It was written last April to Mason B. Starling, of New York, president of the California & Pittsburgh Utilities Corporation, and was taken from Lakin's files by a lobby committee investigator.

Lakin expressed the belief that nothing had been done in the matter of the contracts. This letter read in part:

"Several members of the committee have appealed to President Hoover and he has instructed his secretary, Mr. Newton, to establish a contact between the committee and ourselves."

"I understand that some suggestion of this came from individual members of the committee. We are to be a little doubtful about this step, but in the end would, of course, have to do what President Hoover desires, especially as he seems to be genuinely interested in our cause."

Lakin Only Witness.

Lakin, who was the only witness at yesterday's hearing, said he thought the reference was to negotiations for a sliding scale which was suggested as a means of solving the problem of what duty to place on sugar in the tariff bill.

"That is to say," Senator Walsh (Democrat), Montana, put in, "that Mr. Newton was to bring you and some members of the committee to contact with each other, so that you could discuss the sliding scale with them. Is that the idea?"

"Well, I am confused about it," Lakin replied. "I can't carry that language."

"Well, it is your own language," Walsh commented.

"But it was written a long time ago."

"It is the same mater you are interested in right now," Walsh said.

Company Has Wide Holdings.

Lakin, who has been the witness for several days, has testified that he has been active in advocating a low duty on sugar. His company has extensive sugar holdings in Cuba and Lakin employed Edwin P. Shattuck, New York attorney and friend of President Hoover, to assist in the low sugar duty campaign.

"The President gave directions to his secretary to do certain things and they were not done?" Senator Walsh inquired.

"I am not sure that it was done. I don't remember anything," Lakin replied.

The letter mentioning Crowder was written to M. C. Rionda, of the Czarnikow-Rionda Co., of New York.

Planned to Use Memorandum.

Referring to the former Ambassador's memorandum on limiting Philippine sugar imports and the purported information about war plans of the general staff of the Army, the document said:

"We plan to use this memorandum and this information when we can do so to the best advantage—probably after the matter gets into the Senate. We are inclined to believe that the Secretary of War would support Simson because any limitation on exports from the Philippines would tend to create political disturbances in the Philippines and increase the work of the War Department."

Now Secretary of State, Henry L. Stimson, formerly was governor general of the Philippines. He has opposed limiting Philippine sugar exports.

"Where did you get the information that Gen. Crowder had learned what the plans of the general staff were?" inquired Senator Walsh.

"It must have been from him," Lakin said.

Crowder Gave Help.

The chairman of the lobby committee, Senator Caraway, of Arkansas, commented that Crowder "found out as a retired officer what the plans were and gave them to you." He asked Lakin, "he was helping you in the tariff fight?"

"Yes," Lakin replied.

Pressed to tell who had given him the information about the supposed instructions President Hoover had given Newton, Lakin said it might have been Representative Hull, Democrat (Tennessee), a member of the House ways and means committee. Hull denied having given any such information.

Examination of Lakin was completed yesterday and Shattuck was directed to appear today for examination. Lakin testified that one of the reasons for employing Shattuck was his friendship with President Hoover and the committee is expected to question him about his relations with the President.

Morrow's Name Brought In.

The name of Dwight W. Morrow, Ambassador to Mexico, was brought into the discussion in a letter Larkin wrote to Shattuck last January.

A letter Lakin wrote to J. M. Tarafa, of New York, president of the Cuba Northern Railway, said a "proposal from the White House" had been received.

"It is the result of a study of the Governmental departments," the letter added, "but has not yet been specifically presented to President Hoover. We have not had time to analyze it fully. This information, of course, is very confidential, indeed."

Lakin said the proposal was the sliding scale which he understood was the idea of Chairman Smoot, of the Senate finance committee.

Robinson then asked if Shattuck had said he received the information from the White House.

"I think so," Lakin replied.

GRUNDY'S AID

LEIGHTON C. TAYLOR, former secretary of the late Senator Boies Penrose, who has been named secretary to Senator Joseph Grundy, of Pennsylvania.

WEST SNOWBOUND; COLD SWEEPS SOUTH

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promised a respite from the damp and shipping probably will resume on schedule from Eastern ports today.

Communications Tied Up.

Chicago, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—A blizzard roared across the midland plains today, piled streets and highways deep with drifted snow and coated telegraph lines in many States with ice.

Communication by road, by air and by wire was hampered or completely disrupted. Traffic accidents were numerous. A stiff northwester hurled icy waves high on the shores of Lake Michigan, inflicting further damage to Chicago's lake front and stalling scores of automobiles along the new South Shore drive. Two men died here of heart attacks ascribed to the bitter cold.

A temperature of 40 degrees below zero at Moose Jaw was Canada's coldest.

Southwest Shivers.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Icy blasts from the northland tobogganed down to the gulf coast of Texas tonight, bringing the severest weather of the winter to the Southwest.

Snow and freezing temperatures were reported in the Rocky Mountain region, but States to the eastward received the brunt of the cold wave which was whirled South through the wheat belt of the Middle West and across the cotton fields of Oklahoma and Texas.

Snow fell today in eastern Kansas, Missouri and parts of Oklahoma. The biting wind and heavy snow caused blizzard conditions in some sections and gaves hopes of a white Christmas.

Several persons were injured by falls on slippery pavements in Kansas City. The mercury registered 5 degrees above zero here early tonight and was steadily falling.

Building Blown Away.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—A frigid hurricane, sweeping down from the Rocky Mountains left the deep South shivering tonight from sudden temperature drops with the Southeast and Northeast expected to get a touch of the disturbance by a veering of the wind.

The high winds dipped down on several spots in Louisiana and Mississippi, blowing away several small buildings and bringing injury to some dozen persons. In the semitropical areas along the Gulf Coast, live stock and vegetation suffered, and inhabitants were caught unprepared for the abnormal weather.

Colder weather was experienced over the entire South and in some areas the thermometer had dropped as much as 40 degrees within twelve hours and was still headed downward. Snow, sleet and rain fell in many localities and low, angry clouds hovered over Louisiana and Mississippi.

The mercury dropped in the face of a wind that grew in intensity during the day. A two-mile area north of Oakdale, La., the wind blew down a number of farm homes, barns and other buildings and injured nine persons including Frank and Edward Cottongin, who were caught beneath the wreckage of their homes. The home of John Hogan was demolished and Mrs. Hogan and five of her children were injured. In Lawrence County, Miss., several small farm buildings were blown down, trees uprooted and the small daughter of George Stevens was injured by flying timber. At Columbus several buildings were damaged.

Reichstag Votes to Ask Loan of $100,000,000

Berlin, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The Reichstag today voted, 239 to 138, to authorize a loan of 465,000,000 marks (about $100,000,000) for which the finance ministry has been negotiating with Dillon, Read & Co., of New York.

It was said that decision on granting the loan still must come from New York.

Five Drown When Auto Plunges From Ferry

Martinez, Calif., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Five persons were drowned today at Jersey Island, 20 miles above Pittsburg, when the automobile in which tehy were riding fell into the water from an automobile ferry operated by Contra Costa County between the island and the mainland.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKholders of the Washington Savings Bank, of Washington, D. C., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly and lawfully come before the meeting, will be held Tuesday, January 14, 1930, at 1 o'clock p. m., in the bank. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 p. m. J. D. LEONARD, Treasurer.

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CONNIE FRANKLIN ADMITS MARRIAGE

Wandering Farm Hand on Stand Denies Being Slain Last March.

FORMERLY IN ASYLUM

Mountain View, Ark., Dec. 18 (A.P.). An eccentric character, a wandering farm hand, who drifts from place to place "as the spirit moves me," occupied the witness stand for two hours today in the Connie Franklin murder trial, and he told a fantastic story of how his roving disposition was responsible for four men being on trial for murdering him.

The man who calls himself the "one and only Connie Franklin" of the St. James community, near here, whose disappearance nine months ago gave rise to rumors he had been slain and eventually led to formal murder charges being filed, was subjected to a grilling cross-examination by the State, but throughout he stuck to his story that he merely walked out of the lives of the St. James mountaineers as he had walked in.

"And were you beaten to death and burned on the night of last March?" defense counsel asked him.

"I don't look or feel like it," he answered, amid laughter.

He admitted, however, he had told conflicting stories of his past life when he was brought back to Mountain View ten days ago to testify for the defense.

With Wild West Shows.

Asked the reason, he replied:

"I didn't want the whole world to know who I was and that I had been in the insane asylum."

His first story after his arrival here was that he was left an orphan at the age of 4; that his only schooling was three months in Wyoming, and that he had at various times followed carnival and Wild West shows. He admitted to Prosecuting Attorney Hugh Williamson that all was false, as was his statement that he was not married.

He admitted on the stand, he was married, but said he had been separated from his wife several years.

"Were you divorced?" asked the prosecutor. He answered he was not.

"Then why were you planning to marry Tillar Ruminer (the State's star witness) on that night last March before you say you left St. James?"

Denies Being Coached.

"How do you know I was aiming to marry her?" said the witness.

He said he first learned that five men were charged with murdering him only a week before he left Humphrey, Ark., farm to come here as a defense witness. Only four of the men are being tried at this time.

The prosecutor sought repeatedly to get a statement from him that he had been "drilled" as to the facts in the case, but he steadfastly refused, declaring once:

"I already had all the information about it, because I was there at the time."

Preceding him to the stand today were his mother, Mrs. Lily Baker, of Clarendon, Ark., who said she had seen him infrequently during the last five years because of his desire to wander, and Mrs. M. M. Bryant, of Humphrey, on whose farm he was working when defense counsel found him.

The witness, who said his real name was Marrion Franklin Rogers, asserted he had intended to leave Humphrey to come to Mountain View before a phonograph salesman persuaded him to come with him.

JAPAN MAY NOT ASK FOR MORE CRUISERS

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is not clinging to any inflexible demands or proportions.

Broadly, the delegates made clear to Stimson, she wants to concentrate her auxiliary naval power in the ten thousand ton type of cruiser mounting 8-inch guns and in submarines—but she is fixing no arbitrary proportions which would imperil agreement or the delicate adjustment of Anglo-American figures.

The United States, England and probably Italy will offer to abolish the submarine. Stimson's argument is that the submarine is no longer of any real value except as a raider against merchant shipping. But Japan holds that however the depth bomb, the airplane or the fast cruiser may have diminished the submarine's offensive power, that instrument remains the best defensive weapon for a scattered island empire. And with that view the American naval experts agree. Thus the United States is unable to dispute, successfully, Japan's insistence upon retention of the submarine.

Flurry Between Departments.

As for large cruisers, Japan's position is identical with that maintained at Geneva in 1927 and ever since by the United States so there is no room for any attempted American argument on that score. The only questiin, in view of Japan's spirit of cooperation, is one of adjusting her submarine and big cruiser tonnages to Anglo-American figures. And that cannot be done until Anglo-American figures are finally settled at London.

The fact that Japan seeks real reduction, or at least opposes expansion, has given rise to reports, as yet unconfirmed, that she will be satisfied with her present total of 71 submarines aggregating 78,497 tons. If the United States and England sharply curtail their submarine tonnages this would leave Japan superior in that field. She contends that she is entitled to superiority in this defensive weapon in exchange for her readiness to yield superiority or even a 70 per cent proportion in big cruisers.

A new flurry of alleged friction between the Navy and State departments developed yesterday when Secretary of the Navy Adams said he had not been invited to attend Tuesday's private talks in the Stimson library. The fact was that Adams was not present, though he is a delegate to London, and late last night had not been asked to sit in at this morning's continuation of the session. No explanation came from the State Department for the seeming omission, and again the Navy is grumbling about being left out in the cold.

Make Official Rounds.

Despite chilling rain, the Japanese visitors kept to their scheduled round of official functions yesterday, traveling to Mount Vernon to lay a wreath on Washington's Tomb and to Arlington, where they paid their tribute to the Unknown Soldier. Ambassador and Mme. Debuchi gave them a reception yesterday afternoon. Last night they were honor guests at a State dinner at the White House.

Stimson, kept in by a cold, was absent, and the unexplained absence of the names of Vice President Curtis and his official hostess, Mrs. Gann, as well as the absence of Speaker and Mrs. Longworth provoked considerable comment and speculation as to whether the White House had sidestepped a new clash in the famous social feud over who outranks whom.

CAPITAL'S CROWDED SCHOOLS DEPLORED

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States has so much money in the Treasury that only recently we had to give back $160,000,000 to the taxpayers because we didn't know what to do with it."

Both speakers and others that followed declared that the school system of the District should be the model for the Nation.

The meeting was opened by Representative Fred Kelly, of Pennsylvania, chairman of the gathering, who called on J. Francis Moore, chairman of the schools committee of the Chevy Chase Citizens Association, to outline the community school needs at present and to explain the work being done by his committee.

Moore pointed out that the Ben W. Murch School, built at a cost of $185,000, soon would be opened, and that it would take part of the congestion from the E. V. Brown unit. He also cited the appropriation of $200,000 for the construction of the Deal Junior High School and the purchase of more than 11 acres for a school and community center on Broad Branch road at a cost of $135,521.95. The total either spent or to be expended for Chevy Chase schools is $1,205,521, he said.

Miss M. E. Given, veteran principal of the E. V. Brown School, was accorded an ovation as she arose to talk on the overflow at her school. She pointed out that the present enrollment is 60, whereas the normal capacity of the 16-room building is 640, making an excess attendance of 320. The school population of Chevy Chase is growing at the rate of 100 a year, she said.

Commissioner Dougherty and Dr. Frank W. Ballou, superintendent of schools, congratulated those present on their interest in the schools, but urged them to be patient, as the needs of Chevy Chase would be accommodated as soon as possible. They reminded the parents that other sections of the city are also in need of new buildings, and Dougherty pointed out that the appropriations for schools in the District increases each year.

Those cooperating in holding the mass meeting, besides the school committee, were the Chevy Chase Citizens Association, the Chevy Chase, Broad Branch, and Ben W. Murch sections of the Home and School Association, the Chevy Chase Community Center and the Episcopal Home for Children.

Pamphlets outlining the school needs for Chevy Chase and urging the immediate erection of the Broad Branch School and the elimination of portables were distributed among the audience.

SMITH RECEIVERSHIP ARGUED BY COUNSEL

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should be appointed to protect the stockholders and the creditors.

All the petitioners are bondholders of the company, and were later joined in their plea by Mrs. Alma Morton, of 800 Twentieth street northwest, an employe of the Treasury Department. All the petitioners seek in addition to the appointment of a receiver an injunction and an accounting.

Declaration was made in the course of the argument by the attorneys for the defense that the company is not obligated itself on the bonds that it has sold. This statement was made in response to a question from the bench by Justice Wheat. All bonds, defense attorneys asserted, are secured by other corporations. Justice Wheat asked if these other companies were subsidiaries and was told that they are not.

The defense admitted that the company has moved out of the District of Columbia but pointed out that it is a Delaware company, and that prior to removing it had offices in New York. It was merely for purposes of economy that the company's headquarters were moved to the New York office, it was stated.

Regarding charges made by Attorney W. Gwynn Gardiner, counsel for most of the plaintiffs, during his argument, that assets of the company are being and have been dissipated through high salaries to officers and directors, through contracts with contractors, attorney fees and salary to Henry C. Maddux, of the Hamilton Hotel Corporation, the defense attorneys made categorical denials. Maddux, they said, had never been an employe of the Smith Co. and had neve received a salary from it.

Mention was made that Gardiner was formerly counsel for the Smith Co. and the defense attorneys asserted that he had at one time chraged a fee of $50,000, which the company had rejected and settled for a much smaller sum.

Contention also was made by the defense attorneys that the Smith Co. is sound financially; that its balance sheet of June 30, 1929, showed a net worth of $10,200,000 and that today its worth is even greater. Wilton J. Lambert and Rudolph Yeatman and their associates and William E. Leahy appeared for the defense.

At the conclusion of the arguments a plea was made by the defense counsel that the justice render an immediate decision, it being pointed out that the publicity received in connection with the receivership plea was damaging the company.

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DIVORCE JURY FINDS ARNOLD UNFAITHFUL

Rich Broker Held Guilty of Misconduct With Another Woman; Wife Cleared.

MODERN NOTE IN CHARGE

New York, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—A jury today found Ray H. Arnold, wealthy investment broker, guilty of infidelity in the divorce suit brought by Mrs. Bessie S. Arnold and with the exception of one charge on which it could not agree exonerated her of similar charges preferred by him in a counter suit.

The jury found Arnold guilty on two questions of misconduct with Mrs. Margaret Crenshaw West, of Crestwood, N. Y., widow of Stuart P. West, financial writer.

It exonerated Mrs. Arnold on all charges except one, which involved misconduct with Charles J. Hann, jr., one of her lawyers. Arnold had also charged her with misconduct with the late Charles Pfisch.

A motion to set the verdict aside and order a new trial was made in behalf of Mrs. West. Justice Philip J. McCook set Saturday for argument on the motion.

In his charge, Justice McCook stressed that social conditions and manners change from era to era.

"Do not confuse loose manners with loose morals," he told the jury.

The court ruled out all accusations against Martha Crenshaw, 19-year-old daughter of Mrs. West, who was named as a corespondent with her mother.

Arnold's 19-year-old son, William, testified that when he returned from Europe in 1927 he lived in his father's apartment in East Sixty-seventh street and that Mrs. West also lived there for a time.

FIRE RECORD.

11:01 a. m.—Front of 1252 Tenth street northwest; automobile.
11:32 a. m.—927 Eighteenth street northwest; chimney.
12:49 p. m.—Sixth and C street northwest; church.
1:40 p. m.—1401 Savannah street southeast; electrocution.

DIED

BLAKE—On Tuesday, December 17, 1929, at Sibley Hospital, Dr. LOUISA M. BLAKE, of 40 Rhode Island avenue northwest, beloved wife of Levy C. Blake.
Funeral services at Hysong funeral home, 1300 N street northwest, on Saturday, December 21, at 2 p. m. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BURROWS—On Wednesday, December 18, 1929, at his residence, Colonial Heights, Va., JOHN FORREST, beloved husband of the late Clara Burrows and beloved son of the late Frank and Margaret Burrows.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

CHAPMAN—On Tuesday, December 17, 1929, at 9 p. m., HENRY MILES, beloved husband of the late Sarah Isabella Chapman, and father of Mrs. Walter Lewis Dulin, aged seventy-eight years, one month, nineteen days.
Funeral from his late residence, 9408 Georgia avenue, Silver Spring, Md., on Thursday, December 19, at 11 a. m. Interment at Oakwood Cemetery, Falls Church, Va.

CREECY—Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 18, 1929, at her residence, 7019 Georgia avenue northwest, LILLIE MAY CREECY (nee King), beloved wife of William B. Creecy and mother of Augustus L. and William B. Creecy, jr.
Funeral from her late residence, on Friday, December 20, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives invited. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

CRUMP—Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 17, 1929, at Sibley Hospital, KENNETH LEE, beloved husband of Ruth N. Crump, in the thirty-eighth year of his age.
Funeral at Strasburg, Va., on Friday, December 19, at 2:30 p. m., instead of as previously announced in The Post and Star of December 18.

DEVEREUX—On Monday, December 16, 1929, CAROLINE E., beloved wife of the late Frank N. Devereux.
Funeral from her late residence, 2031 North Capitol street, on Thursday, December 19, at 9:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Martin's Church at 10 a. m. Interment (private) at Rock Creek Cemetery.

ELLIOTT—Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 17, 1929, at her residence, 1322 Tenth street northwest, CARRIE K., beloved mother of Lester E. and Glenn E. Elliott.
Funeral from the Warren Taltavull's funeral home, Fourteenth and Spring road northwest, on Friday, December 20, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

GARNER—On Monday, December 16, 1929, at his residence, 412 Second street northwest, JOHN S. GARNER.
Funeral from the chapel of J. Wm. Lee's Sons, 332 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, on Thursday, December 19, at 1 p. m. Interment in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

GOSS—On Wednesday, December 18, 1929, at his residence, 5515 Potomac avenue northwest, ARDEN J., beloved husband of Carrie L. Goss.
Funeral from V. L. Speare Co., 1009 H street northwest, on Friday, December 20, at 2 p. m. Interment (private) at Glenwood Cemetery. (Saginaw, Mich., papers please copy.)

GRAY—On Tuesday, December 17, 1929, at 8:45 a. m., at her residence, 421 Maryland avenue southwest, MARY ELIZABETH, beloved wife of George R. Gray.
Funeral from her late residence on Thursday, December 19, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

JORDAN—On Tuesday, December 17, 1929, ELDRIDGE K., beloved husband of Constance Beardsley Jordan.
Funeral services for intimate friends at Fort Myer chapel, on Thursday, December 19, at 12:30 p. m. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery. (New York papers please copy.)

McKENNY—Suddenly, on Monday, December 16, 1929, GEORGE T. McKENNY. Remains resting at W. W. Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest. Notice of funeral later.

MOORE—On Tuesday, December 17, 1929, at his residence, 1338 Randolph street northwest, BERTRAND CLARK, beloved husband of Helen M. Moore, aged sixty-six years.
Funeral services at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lee Moffett, 407 Wilson lane, Battery Park, Md., Thursday, December 19, at 2 p. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

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View of trial of Inspector William S. Shelby and Lieut. Edward J. Kelly on charges of "bungling" McPherson case. Upper left, Kelly; upper right, Shelby, and lower, trial board members: Left to right, Maj. L. E. Atkins, J. B. Gordon and Capt. H. C. Whitehurst.

SCRIVENER CASE IS CLOSED BY JURY'S SUICIDE VERDICT

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guided by several factors arising from the evidence presented by the many witnesses. Among these is believd to have been the statement of a prominent woman social worker, friend of the dead detective, who is reported to have informed the jurors that she talked to Scrivener the night before he was found dead. At that time Scrivener is said to have told her that he feared having to postpone his marriage, scheduled for the day after his death, and that he would rather kill himself than cause a further delay in his plans.

Failure of the police and Department of Justice agents to find among 1,400 fingerprints tested any clue supporting the theory that the print of a slayer's finger was found on the death gun is believed to have been another important item leading to the verdict.

The report of the grand jury is as follows:

"This grand jury herewith reports to the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia its finding in the case of the death of Detective Sergt. Arthur Scrivener.

"After an extensive investigation, hearing and deliberation, the jury finds that Arthur Scrivener came to his death on the morning of October 13, 1926, from a bullet wound inflicted by himself.

"Being cognizant of the strong and varying opinions attached to this matter, the grand jury conducted an exhaustive investigation into all phases of the case. In keeping with this procedure, all leads, including even the vaguest of rumors, were run down before the above conclusion was reached."

Although no statement concerning the vote of the grand jury was given out by Nell Burkinshaw, assistant United States attorney, it is understood the jury spent two days in deliberating before returning the verdict.

Upholds Police Opinion.

The grand jury's report upholds the opinion frequently expressed by Police Department officials that Scrivener ended his life. This opinion was held by police despite the verdict of the coroner's jury that the detective was "murdered by a person or persons unknown."

Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, former chief of the homicide squad, was one of the witnesses called by the grand jury, spending more than two hours in the room. While no inkling of Kelly's testimony was made public, he is known to have supported the suicide theory, even at the time of the coroner's inquest into the case.

The Scrivener case was taken before the grand jury after three years by United States Attorney Leo A. Rover when evidence presented to him apparently caused doubt as to the actual cause of the detective's death. Rover personally examined witnesses called in the investigation.

Two Other Points.

Two other points are believed to have gained the attention of the jury in rendering a suicide verdict. One of these is said to have been testimony to the effect that because of the slope of the alley in which Scrivener was found, a murderer, in firing a bullet which followed the course of that which killed the detective, would have had to hold the gun at the level of his ear.

The other factor is reported to have been tests made by the Bureau of Standards to show it is almost impossible for a necktie to break at the back, as the tie which Scrivener had clutched in his hand when found had been broken. Almost invariably these tests are said to have shown a tie would have been broken near the knot. The tie was one of the clews which led to the murder verdict, the theory having been advanced that the detective snatched at his assailant during a scuffle preceding the firing of the fatal bullet. This theory, however, is believed to have been offset by testimony of persons who knew Scrivener and who claimed the detective had asserted that if he ended his life he would do it in a way that would make it appear murder.

Contradicting the suicide theory, a physician who attended Scrivener is reported to have told the grand jury that the detective was suffering from no illness which might have caused him to take his life.

DIED

MULLEN—On Tuesday, December 17, 1929, at her residence, 1318 B street southeast, ANNA H., beloved wife of the late James J. Mullen.
Funeral from her late residence on Thursday, December 19, at 8:30 a. m., thence to the Holy Comforter Church, where requiem mass will be sung at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

OSBORNE—On Tuesday, December 17, 1929, RUTH BALL, widow of Gen. Edwin S. Osborne, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa. She is survived by the following sons and daughters: Consul General John Ball Osborne, Russel Osborne, Mrs. H. W. Middleton, Clay Osborne and Miss Frances Osborne, the latter of this city.
Funeral services at Gawler's chapel, 1754 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, on Thursday, December 19, at 2 p. m. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

PHILLIPS—On Wednesday, December 18, 1929, at 6 p. m., at her residence, 1600 Twenty-first street northwest, ELIZA IRWIN LAUGHLIN, wife of the late Maj. Duncan Clinch Phillips.
Services at her late residence, on Friday, December 20, at 11 a. m. Interment (private) at Pittsburgh, Pa.

POTTER—On Tuesday morning, December 17, 1929, ANNIE E., widow of Henry O. Potter, and beloved mother of Pearl Potter Etz.
Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, Edwin H. Etz, Bradley Hills, Bethesda, Md., on Thursday, December 19, at 1:30 p. m. Interment at Arlington Cemetery.

POWER—On Saturday, December 14, 1929, at Palo Alto, Calif., MARY A., widow of James D. Power.
Burial services at Arlington National Cemetery following arrival of remains at 8:35 a. m. at Union Station, on Saturday, December 21.

ROULEAU—Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 17, 1929, at her residence, 3823 Thirteenth street northeast (Brookland), MATHILDE V. ROULEAU (nee Rodier), beloved wife of Wilfrid Rouleau, aged seventy-one years.
Funeral services from her late residence, on Friday morning, December 20.

STONE—On Tuesday, December 17, 1929, at the residence of her granddaughter, Mrs. Joseph C. M. Abell, 101 Fourth street northeast, ANN M., beloved wife of the late William V. Stone.
Funeral from the above residence, on Thursday, December 19, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to St. Joseph's Church, Second and C streets northeast. Requiem mass at 10 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friend invited to attend. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

WILLIAMS—On Tuesday, December 17, 1929, JAMES GEORGE, beloved husband of Ruth Williams, aged thirty-seven years.
Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers funeral parlors on Friday, December 20, at 1:30 p. m.; thence to St. Sofia Greek Catholic Church at 2 p. m. Interment in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

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Witnesses of Prosecution at Trial Held Favorable to Defense.

ALLEN DEPOSITION LOST

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counsel, conducted the prosecution, with Lynch doing the questioning and it seemed for a short time during the testimony of Louis Kaplis, formerly a stenographer in detective headquarters, that the prosecution had scored a somewhat sensational point over the disappearance of a statement relative to the McPherson case which had been dictated by former Policeman Robert J. Allen.

Kaplis said he had transcribed Allen's statement with four or five carbons and had turned all over to Inspector Shelby. He had not seen the statement since, Kaplis said.

Maj. Henry G. Pratt, superintendent of police; Shelby, and Capt Walter Emerson, who replaced Shelby as chief of the detective bureau when the July grand jury's criticism of Shelby and Kelly was made, were present when Allen dictated his statement on the McPherson case, Kaplis said. The Allen statement has disappeared, Lynch said.

Clash Over Statement.

Quinn jumped to his feet and demanded angrily, "Why are you trying to show we did away with this statement when you know that everything pertaining to the McPherson case was taken from the Police Department by your chief, Mr. Bride, the corporation counsel?"

"Well, we haven't got the statement," insisted Lynch.

"Well, neither have we," cried Quinn. "Go ask your chief what he did with it."

Kaplis said that a statement made by Kelly and put into the record by the prosecution was only a partial report on the McPherson case. "Lieut. Kelly dictated 2½ hours," Kaplis said, "and told me that, 'Kaplis, that's just about a third of it,' when he got through. I never had a chance to complete transcribing the report before it was taken from me together with my notebook with my notes by Mr. Bride. Lieut. Kelly did not have a chance to go over or revise or complete the report before it was taken."

Stott Upsets Defense.

Capt. William G. Stott caused a stir when he declared that he would have sought to get a signed statement from Robert A. McPherson, jr., estranged husband of the strangled nurse. Failure of Kelly and Shelby to get a signed written statement from McPherson before releasing him and checking on details of his alibi was one of the criticisms made by the July grand jury and stressed by the prosecution. Stott stuck to that statement under repeated questioning.

"I didn't like the attitude of young McPherson when I talked to him in the apartment before Kelly arrived and that's why I would have tried to get a written statement from him," the captain said. He is commander of the precinct in which the apartment house is located.

"Young McPherson told me 'this is a funny state of afairs. I've got an engagement to talk over a football game with some boys down to the bank' and I said 'well, I'm sorry, but you won't keep that engagement today."

Believes Kelly Efficient.

"What power would you have had to compel anyone to sign a written statement?" questioned Quinn.

"I'd have had the power of request, anyway," replied Stott.

"Well, then, you talked with McPherson and heard his statement, why didn't you ask him for a written statement?"

"Because I had turned the investigation over to Lieut. Kelly, chief of the homicide squad."

Under subsequent questioning, Stott declared that he believed Kelly was a thorough investigator, very efficient and "most emphatically" had acted properly in releasing McPherson in the custody of his father on the order of the coroner. He had never heard of a new fact which was not known to the police which had been developed by subsequent investigations, Stott said. Quinn asked if he had meant to imply that young McPherson had murdered his wife.

"Oh, no," Stott exclaimed. "McPherson is not of the criminal type. I simply thought he was an irresponsible boy who was callous. I thought so because he should have shown more feeling about his wife's death, even though he was estranged from her. He must have loved her enough to marry her. I never had any doubt that it was a suicide after my first examination, even though I didn't like McPherson's attitude."

Character Witnesses Heard.

Earl P. Hartman, a private, Third Precinct, first policeman in the McPherson apartment; Frank O. Brass, sent from the precinct to relieve Hartman; Dr. A. Magruder MacDonald, deputy coroner, who performed the autopsy on Mrs. McPherson's body, and Louis A. McMahon, a reporter on the Washington Herald, were the other witnesses.

Both MacDonald and McMahon joined with Burke, Cullinane and Stott in praising the ability and integrity of Shelby and Kelly.

The course of the trial was marked with frequent sharp tilts between O'Shea and Quinn and Lynch and there was little suavity or urbanity. Lynch kept Maj. Pratt sitting in the witness room most of the day, refusing to excuse him or to call him to the witness stand.

Bride's Presence Challenged.

William W. Bride, corporation counsel, who was a member of the special board comprising himself and Maj. D. A. Davison, assistant engineer commissioner, which drafted the charges against Shelby and Kelly, entered the trial room in the afternoon and took seats back of the prosecution table. O'Shea promptly rose and declared that Bride was a member of the investigating board and a possible witness and asked the trial board to have him excluded. Bride grinned broadly and left without waiting for the board to act promptly.

Maj. L. E. Atkins, Assistant Engineer Commissioner, who is chairman of the special trial board, announced the purpose of the board to speed the trial and advanced the convening hour to 9:30 this morning. The board allows only 45 minutes for lunch and will sit until 5 o'clock each day.

Capt. H. C. Whitehurst, coordinator of the engineer departments, and J. B. Gordon, sanitary engineer, are the other two members of the board.

SLAIN BY SHOT

JUSTICE H. C. INSKEEP, of Romney, W. Va., father of a Washington newspaper man, who was shot and killed yesterday by a man who had been convicted on a liquor charge in his court.

Three Persons Die In Oil-Lamp Blast

Pair Is Suffocated While Burns Kill Mother; Five Others Hurt.

Claremont, N. H., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The explosion of an oil lamp in a rooming house here today caused the deaths of three persons and injuries to five others. Mrs. Elouine Larock, operator of the house, died of burns in a hospital. Her 5-year-old daughter, Beulah, and Hyacinthe Rainville, 35, a roomer, were suffocated by smoke.

The explosion occurred in a first-floor room occupied by Mrs. Larock and her daughters, Beulah and May, the latter aged 6 months. Rainville was sleeping in an adjacent room.

John McCann, of Bellows Falls, Vt., and three of Mrs. Larock's children—Eleanor, 3; Harry, 12, and May—were taken to the hospital suffering from the effects of smoke. Capt. Harry Frazer, of the fire department, was slightly burned on the hands while assisting McCann and some of the children from the second-floor rooms.

THREE DIE, TRIO HURT DRUNKEN MAN HELD

Revenge Believed Motive as Shooter's Death List Is Discovered.

MOB HINTS AT VIOLENCE

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tended to complete by adding the sheriff and former Sheriff Joseph Ruckman to his victims.

The slayer first visited the home of Ed Wolford, 20, and killed him as he sat at the bedside of a sick father. The killer then shot Mrs. Grace Wolford, mother of the man slain, and Mrs. Carrie Wright, a visitor. The women escaped serious injury.

County authorities could not explain why Wolford was shot. They believed, however, the slayer might have mistaken him for another man, as his name was not on the "death list."

From the Wolford place, Crabtree went to the home of Mrs. Blaine Hott, where he shot and slightly wounded Ruth Hott, 6. The reason for Crabtree's attack on this home likewise was a mystery.

Crabtree next went to the home of Justice of the Peace H. C. Inskeep, 50, the sheriff said. Inskeep, who had figured in Crabtree's arrests, was called to his door and killed.

The last victim was Ben E. Miller, county jailer, who was summoned from his quarters at the jail and slain.

Crabtree returned to his home after shooting Miller, the sheriff said, but set out again. He went to the home of Dr. J. S. Easton, where the physician was treating Mrs. Wright. When a knock at the door was unanswered Crabtree fired through the door, investigators said.

Crabtree was arrested about an hour later at his home by the sheriff and a State policeman. He offered no resistance.

Charleston, W. Va., Dec. 18 (A.P.) Superintendent Harry L. Brooks, of the State police, today instructed Capt. Hobart Brown, of Company A, at Shinnston, to go to Keyser and take any measures necessary to preserve order should there be any indication of mob violence against Walter Crabtree, who is under arrest there in connection with the slaying of three persons at Romney. Prosecuting Attorney B. E. Rankin, of Mineral County, telephoned the police head there was possibility of an outbreak as a result of the killings.

H. Carter Inskeep, Romney, W. Va., justice of the peace, who was slain when called to his door early yesterday morning by a man he is said to have sentenced to jail Tuesday, was the father of Lester N. Inskeep, Arlington County correspondent of the Evening Star and a former member of The Post's news staff. Upon receiving news of the death of his father, Inskeep departed for Romney.

The dead man is survived by his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Inskeep Smith, of Florida, who with her husband was en route to the home of her parents for Christmas; and two sons, John Inskeep, of Oregon, and Lester Inskeep, of Arlington County.

Disappearance of Ship's Captain Starts Inquiry

Havana, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Investigations are under way in an effort to solve the mystery of the disappearance of Capt. G. W. Gower, of the Munson Line steamer Bellasco, while that vessel was proceeding from Havana to Cardenas.

The Bellasco left Havana Monday with Cardenas as its destination to take on a load of sugar, and on her arrival at the latter port the chief officer, R. M. Mitchell, reported the disappearance of the captain. The matter was taken up by the port authorities of Cardenas and the British consul at that port.

Mrs. Putnam Seeks To Divorce Publisher

Reno, Nev., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The divorce suit of Mrs. Dorothy Binney Putnam, wife of the well-known publisher, George Palmer Putnam, was filed in the District Court late today, the complaint charging failure to provide.

Contrary to expectations in some quarters, there is no mention of any cause of action other than failure to provide. The couple were married at Sound Beach, Conn., October 26, 1911, and have two sons, and an agreement made out of court provides, it is understood, that Mrs. Putnam shall have their custody most of the time, and that Putnam shall contribute toward their support. There is no request for alimony. Mrs. Putnam is very wealthy in her own right.

Cowboy Train Robber Sentenced for Life

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Tom Vernon, former cowboy, was sentenced to life imprisonment in Folsom Penitentiary in Superior Court here today for wrecking and robbing a Southern Pacific passenger train near Saugus last November 10.

He was given two sentences of life, one as a habitual criminal. He confessed and pleaded guilty.

Highway Bids Advertised.

The Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture today requested bids on the grading, drainage and incidental construction work on the Mount Vernon Memorial Highway, according to an announcement of the bureau. Bids will be opened in the offices of the chief of the Bureau of Public Roads.

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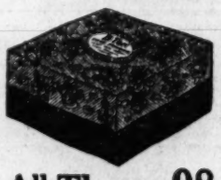

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VIRGINIA THEATER CHAIN TO BE SOLD

Paramount Group Seeking to Acquire 14 Universal Houses in Valley.

TRANSFER FOR STRATTON

Special to The Washington Post.

Staunton, Va., Dec. 18—A $2,000,000 theater deal is about to be consummated, involving transfer of ownership of 14 houses in seven towns in the Valley of Virginia, now owned by the Shenandoah Valley Theater Corporation. The Publix Theaters Corporation, a subsidiary of the Paramount interests, is making strong overtures for the properties, according to Dan Weinberg, of this city, assistant general manager of the Shenandoah group.

The Publix Corporation operates about 1,000 theaters in the United States, including The Paramount in New York City. The deal for the Shenandoah Theaters is expected to be closed within a short time.

The Shenandoah Theaters Corporation operates theaters in Staunton, Harrisonburg, Winchester, Lexington, Clifton Forge, Bedford and Danville. Isaac Weinberg is president and general manager and founder. Some time ago he sold a 75 per cent interest to the Universal Pictures Corporation, and the present negotiations, in reality, are between Publix and the Universal concern, but are being handled by the Weinberg interests. Headquarters of the Shenandoah group is in Staunton.

It is announced that Robert Stratton, house manager of the Colonial Theater in Winchester, is being transferred to Staunton, as assistant manager of the New and Strand Theaters.

Publix, it is stated, has closed a deal whereby all of the theaters in Lynchburg soon will pass under its management. Should the pending tentative agreement for purchase of the 14 theaters in the valley area be closed, it is expected that the Shenandoah group will become the nucleus of a large Publix chain of amusement houses in Virginia.

Moving Van's Accident Is Fatal For Virginian

Special to The Washington Post.

Harrisonburg, Va., Dec. 18.—Edward Painter, aged 25, was instantly killed tonight when a moving van of J. S. Denton & Sons, of Harrisonburg, overturned on the Valley pike at Red Banks, 30 miles north of here. Painter's companion, whose name was not learned, was injured.

No details of the crash had been learned here early tonight.

Gilpin Services To Be Held Today

Noted Maryland Clubman Will Rest at Millwood in Clarke County.

Special to The Washington Post.

Winchester, Va., Dec. 18.—The body of Henry Brooke Gilpin, 77, noted Maryland clubman, yachtman and world traveler, who died late yesterday of bronchial pneumonia in a Baltimore hospital, was brought to the Gilpin home here tonight.

Following a brief, private service there Friday, the body will be taken to Christ Episcopal Church, Millwood, Clarke County, for funeral rites at 1:30 p. m. tomorrow afternoon by the Rev. B. Duvall Chambers, rector. Interment will be in the cemetery at Old Chapel nearby. He founded and managed the H. B. Gilpin Drug Co. in Baltimore many years, and on retiring traveled extensively in many parts of the world.

Surviving are his widow, formerly Miss Hattie Newcomer, of Maryland; one daughter, Mrs. Lewis M. Allen, Winchester; two sons, Donald Gilpin, Baltimore, and Kenneth N. Gilpin, Boyce, Va., and one brother, Frank Gilpin, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Boy Critically Injured By Shotgun Discharge

Special to The Washington Post.

Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 18.—University Hospital doctors today are trying to save the life of 14-year-old Alexander Thelin, jr., of Ivy, this county, who went hunting yesterday morning, stumbled and shot himself in the leg. The limb was so badly mangled it had to be abpuiated close to the knee. The youth is in a state of very severe general shock, is suffering from loss of blood and physicians consider his condition grave.

Alexander took his father's shotgun and went hunting rabbits in the fields some distance from his home. When he didn't return for lunch several hours later, his little sister went to look for him. She found him bleeding and crying for help. His leg from the knee down had been practically torn away by a load of shot. Aid was summoned and the boy was brought to the hospital here.

Road House Proprietor Gets 15-Year Sentence

Special to The Washington Post.

Clarksburg, W. Va., Dec. 18.—Overruling a motion to set aside the verdict of a jury and grant the prisoner a new trial, Judge John C. Southern today, in criminal court, sentenced Michael Muniz to serve fifteen years in the Moundsville Penitentiary for fatally clubbing Burt Lambert, a Grafton young man, with a billiard cue at the Crow's Nest, a road house east of the city.

Muniz was one of the proprietors of the Crow's Nest, which was subsequently padlocked by Federal authorities as a liquor nuisance.

TRIAL OF DEPUTIES APPROACHING END

Arguments and Jury Charge Looked for Tomorrow at Burnesville.

REPORTER LAST WITNESS

Burnsville, N. C., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—A parade of rebuttal witnesses put on by the State in an effort to refute statements by defense witnesses bearing out the defendant's plea of self-defense, brought testimony to a close today in the trial of eight sheriff's deputies, charged with second-degree murder of six men in a textile strike disorder at Marion on October 2.

W. L. Hicklin, a reporter for an Asheville newspaper, who witnessed the clash of officers and mill strikers, was the last witness called. He said he interviewed Sheriff Oscar Adkins, of Marion, after the battle and asked him what part he took in it.

Adkins told him, he said, that while the shooting was in progress he was grappling with James Jonas, one of the men killed. He said he then asked Adkins what he did when he got away from Jonas and quoted the sheriff as replying:

"I said, for God's sake, men, stop! Don't kill any more of them!"

Fired Needlessly, Claim.

From Hicklin's testimony the State sought to infer that its contention that the officers fired needlessly upon the strikers is correct. State witnesses have testified the men were shot while running from tear gas which Sheriff Adkins released after ordering strikers to move from before the gate to the Marion Manufacturing Co. mill.

Defense witnesses said the deputies fired to save their own lives, that first shots came from the ranks of strikers and that the firing ceased before the crowd ran.

On trial are Taylor Green, Dave Jarrett, Jim Owens, Charlie Tate, William Twiggs, Robert Ward, Webb Fender and B. L. Bobbins. All the defendants appeared as witnesses. The trial opened December 10.

More Than 100 Testify.

Hicklin was one of seven rebuttal witnesses called today. After his testimony court recessed until tonight for the beginning of arguments. The arguments in the case, sent here on a change of venue from Marion, and the charge to the jury of Judge G. V. Cowper are expected to be completed Friday morning.

Presentation of rebuttal testimony followed appearance on the stand of Greene, the last of the eight defendants to testify. He said he fired at two men, both of whom fired first at him. The deputy said his cheek was grazed by one bullet.

During the eight days the trial has lasted more than 100 witnesses have taken the stand.

CHRISTMAS PERILS CITED BY PHYSICIAN

Health Official Warns of Overeating, Lack of Rest and Certain Toys.

TREE PRESENTS HAZARDS

Richmond, Va., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The dangers of Christmas time as well as its joys must be remembered if the Nation's greatest season of merry-making is enjoyed to its utmost, Dr. Roy K. Flannagan, assistant State health commissioner, said in a radio address here today.

Commingling with the pleasures of Christmas are the dangers of excessive eating, disease and sometimes fire from Christmas trees, Dr. Flannagan said, adding that "one must be entirely well in order to give fullest expression to happy sentiments."

Instead of a time of joyfulness, Christmas is often turned into unhappiness because of a heightened death rate during the holiday season, Dr. Flannagan declared. "The State health department does not wish to appear a spoil-sport in giving a word of caution," he said, "and it fully appreciates the uselessness of advice to heedless people; but its experience has proved that the majority of the people in Virginia need but to be taught the best way to live, by those in whom they have confidence, and these people will do their best to practice that way of life."

Although the firecracker and toy pistol have for some years been discredited in the minds of parents, Dr. Flannagan said, other toys constitute hazards which are as bad or worse.

"Don't put anything in the mouth that doesn't belong there," he warned. "No parent or guardian should permit a child to place toys or musical instruments in the mouth without having them thoroughly cleansed beforehand.

"Not only the maker of these toys but many prospective purchasers have tried them out, and the spit from many mouths has been applied to them. It would be better not to buy them at all, as little playmates will use them and perhaps communicate some disease, even if the toys are boiled when first bought. This is a fruitful way to spread bad colds.

"Then there is another hazard that should be mentioned. Every child wants a Christmas tree, and a Christmas tree may be made perfectly safe; but often it is a real danger because: First, the tree is perfectly dry and inflammable if it is not freshly cut, and when such a tree is decorated with cotton and paper trimmings and little lighted candles it is a fire menace that should not be allowed."

The bodily well-being of a normal person, said Dr. Flannagan, "is dependent upon proper food in proper quantity, proper rest and proper recreation. All of these essentials are apt to be disregarded upon the influence of the generous spirit of Christmas. Caution is thrown to the winds and old and young tend to speed up beyond the power of bodily machinery to keep."

Enters Religious Order.

Midland, Md., Dec. 18 (Special).—Miss Sayde Kenny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Kenny, of Midland, was received into the religious order of Charity Nuns at St. Joseph's College, Emmitsburg, Md. She was given the name of Sister Patricia in memory of her uncle, the Rev. Patrick J. Kenny, of Lansdown, Md., who died about ten days ago. Sister Patricia was sent to Norfolk, Va., where she will teach in a day school.

ELDRIDGE E. JORDAN TO BE BURIED TODAY

Suicide Real Estate Man, Born in Texas, Was 55 Years of Age.

RITES WILL BE PRIVATE

Eldridge E. Jordan, prominent real estate operator and financier, who committed suicide Tuesday in the garage at his home, Silver Spring, Md., will be buried today. Funeral services will be held at 12:30 o'clock in the Fort Myer Chapel. Only intimate friends will be in attendance. Interment will be in the Arlington National Cemetery.

Jordan was the head of the real estate firm at 1012 Seventeenth street. He was born in Texas 55 years ago. He was the son of Maj. Tyler C. Jordan, formerly of Virginia. During his early years he served as secretary to two governors of the Territory of Arizona. During the Spanish-American War he served with the Rough Riders.

After his discharge from the Army he came to Washington, where he engaged in the real estate business. In 1907 he was made president of the Merchants & Mechanics Savings Bank. In 1911 he was president of the United States Trust Co.

Under his direction the company extended its operations and absorbed several small banks. Several years ago the concern was dissolved.

He was a member of the Metropolitan Club, Chevy Chase and Montgomery Country Clubs. He is survived by his widow.

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$600 Blue White Diamond Ring, finest cut and brilliancy, lady's diamond mounting, must sacrifice $490

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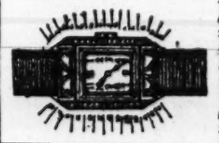

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BURIAL RITES HELD FOR J. C. BLACKWELL

Noted Prince Georges County Official Killed in Mishap While Hunting.

POLICE DOCKET IS HEAVY

Funeral services for James C. Blackwell, clerk to the Prince Georges County Commissioners, who was accidentally killed in a hunting accident on the eve of his retirement, were held yesterday in Addison Chapel. Rites at the grave were conducted by Seat Pleasant Lodge of Masons, of which he was charter member and secretary. Burial was in the chapel cemetery.

The services were attended by most of the officials of the county as well as a large number of friends and associates. Among those present were groups from the Maryland Park High School, which his daughter attends, and from the Seat Pleasant Fire and Community Welfare Association.

Mr. Blackwell was to have completed three years' service as clerk Tuesday. He was one of the best known men in the county through his connection with the commissioners' office. He was killed while duck hunting near Alexandria Monday morning.

Pinkey Helfis, colored, Huntsville, Md., was sentenced to serve two years in the House of Correction, and Rose West, colored, of the same address, was sentenced to serve three months in connection with the theft of an automobile from the Bowie race track Thanksgiving Day. The pair was arrested in the car which was reported stolen by Washington police and turned over to Maryland State Policeman Louis Bloom.

Helfis was charged with operating an automobile which he had reason to believe was a stolen car and the woman was charged with occupying such a car.

The pair was arraigned before Judge J. Chew Sheriff in Hyattsville branch of Prince Georges County Police Court. Helfis told the judge that he bought the car from another colored man for $20, but was unable to give the name of the seller. Officer Bloom testified that he found three sets of automobile keys in the negro's possession at the time of the arrest.

Dr. W. H. Sullivan, a Washington dentist, was fined $25 by Judge Sheriff on charges of exceeding 40 miles an hour on the Baltimore Boulevard near Hyattsville, December 15. He was arrested by County Policeman Claude Reese.

Sidney Johnson, colored, of Washington, was ordered to pay a fine of $104.40 or serve 50 days in jail, when he was convicted on charges of driving while intoxicated and reckless driving. He was arrested by Constable Andrew Gasch, of Bladensburg, on the Defense highway, December 16, after another motorist had called the policeman's attention to the eccentric manner in which Johnson was driving.

James Byrd, colored, North Brentwood, was fined $106.80, or 50 days in jail, on charges of driving while drunk and reckless driving preferred by State Policeman Louis Bloom. Byrd was arrested after a collision between his car and one driven by Louis Madison, of Baltimore, at Cottage City, December 8.

Ambrose Matthews, colored, of Washington, was fined $21.10 on charges of reckless driving, driving without an operator's permit and failing to carry his registration card. He was sentenced to jail for fifteen days in default of fine. Matthews is alleged to have been the driver of a car which collided with the rear end of a car driven by Sergt. H. G. Machen, of the county police, at Laurel, Monday evening.

Clifton Mitchell, 75 years old, of Branchville, died yesterday at his residence. He formerly was a contractor and builder in Washington and had been retired from the Interior Department. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Mr. Mitchell was a native of Prince Georges County, having been born on a farm near Bowie. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Susie A. Gormley, of Branchville, and Mrs. E. E. Emerson, of University Park, and a sister, Mrs. Ellen Bassford.

Tobacco Growers Fight Low Prices

Committee Appointed at Danville Meeting to Protest to Farm Board.

Special to The Washington Post.

Danville, Va., Dec. 18.—A meeting originating with farmers and attended by a large group of big land owners was held here this evening to discuss ways and means of relief to the tobacco growers complaining of low tobacco prices. Two definite steps were taken. A resolution was adopted providing for the appointment of fifteen farmers and business men of this section to appear before the Federal Farm Board in Washington with a request that an investigation be made of the present price situation and to formulate some plan by means of which the grower may receive a fair return above his cost of production.

The Farm Board also is asked to make representations to the large buying companies and a committee of five to be appointed by James H. Wilson, local warehouseman, to go before the large tobacco companies and to seek their cooperation in securing relief and to make a report.

The meeting was held in a warehouse and was called by J. O. McCormick, prominent tobacco raiser of this section. The price situation recently has become serious here. Tobacco last month reached an average of 22 cents, but today had sunk to 16 cents, the lowest point of the year, and said to be below the cost of production.

Too Paunchy for Hole, Convict's Escape Fails

Moundsville, W. Va., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The waistline of Frank Williams, alias A. R. Bogost, 25, was a bit too corpulent for the hole sawed through the cell bars of a window in the West Virginia Penitentiary, and he only succeeded in effectively closing up the gap through which three long-term convicts escaped early today.

Forty armed guards searched the hills about Moundsville tonight for Dana and Adrian Brias, brothers, and Basil Childers, serving terms ranging from 25 to 40 years for robbery. In his scramble for freedom, Bogost became tightly wedged in the aperture of 9½ by 16 inches, and he had to be extricated by guards.

Trinkle Will Address Bedford Fire Company

Special to The Washington Post.

Bedford, Va., Dec. 18.—Former Gov. E. Lee Trinkle, of Roanoke, has accepted an invitation to deliver an address at the annual banquet to be given by the Bedford Volunteer Fire Company at the Elks National Home Thursday evening of this week. Short talks will be made by town officials and music furnished by the Elks Home Orchestra.

Frank H. Mitchell is president of the fire company and Frank K. Saunders is chief. Members of the Firemen's Band have been invited to be present also. W. H. Burt, of Roanoke, is the band's director.

ZONING CHIEF TOPIC AT TRADE MEETING

Commerce Chambers of 3 Counties Talk Mount Vernon Boulevard.

BALL'S BILL PRESENTED

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State Senator Frank L. Ball and others discussed zoning, parking and planning for Northern Virginia, at a joint meeting of the directors of the Chambers of Commerce of Alexandria, Arlington and Fairfax counties, held yesterday afternoon at the George Mason Hotel here. Senator Ball presented a draft of a bill which he expects to introduce in the State Senate at the coming session of the legislature in January, having special reference to the route of the Mount Vernon Boulevard as it affects this city, Arlington and Fairfax counties.

Delegate J. Fred Birrell, recently elected to represent Alexandria in the State legislature; Hugh Reid, of Arlington county, and L. L. Freeman, of Fairfax county, also spoke in favor of Senator Ball's bill. The meeting was attended by members of the board of directors of the local chamber of commerce, the chambers of Arlington and Fairfax counties, and the members of the boards of supervisors of the two interested counties.

A pageant and candlelight service entitled "There Shall Come a Star" will be staged at the Second Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon, starting at 4:30 o'clock.

Directors are as follows: Miss Alice M. Gronau, pageant; Miss Lucy Graves, music; Courtland Davis, decorations; Miss Gronau, lighting effects; William A. Moore, jr., seating.

Characters will be portrayed by the Rev. Ernest M. Delaney, pastor of the church as the reader; Ashby F. Ellmore, servant of God; Miss Edna Todd and Miss Goldie Lunsford, attendants. Frank Bassist, a young man; Frank Watkins, Jacob, an old man; Frances Rosenberger, Joseph; Miss Anita Nobel, Ruth; Miss Katherine Elliott, Naomi; Miss Eleanor Melchoir, Naaman's wife; Miss Lucy Reynolds, captive man; Mrs. Robert Elliott, voice of prophecy; Miss Lorine Ennis, Miss Marie Armistead, angels in manger; Charles Strauss, Marshall Hayden and Lynwood Armistead, Three Kings; Misses Thelma Brenner, Berry Baker, Ruth Rudd, Evelyn Everly, Thorne Cooksey, Katherine Ale, Women of Bethlehem; Ruth Ale, Lillian Potter, Bernice Hammersley, Ellen Olinger, Christine Hawkins, Amonette Gordon, Ethel Hardbower, Chadwell Hawkins, James Horton, David Horton and John Horton, children of Bethlehem.

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Car Fatality Case Gets Carried Over

Loudoun County Trial Will Be Continued During February Court.

Special to The Washington Post.

Leesburg, Va., Dec. 18.—Trial of charges of manslaughter was continued until the February term of the Loudoun County Circuit Court against Alvin Clark, 21 years old, of Wheatland, in connection with the death of Clarence Slack, 35 years old, when the case was called in court here today.

A demurrer to the indictment of the hit-and-run count was argued, and on motion of Commonwealth Attorney John Galleher the case was ordered continued.

Clark is charged with having been the driver of the automobile which ran down and killed Slack on a highway about a half mile from the latter's farm residence near Hamilton early on the morning of August 25.

B.& O. Employes Donate To Orphans' Christmas

Special to The Washington Post.

Keyser, W. Va., Dec. 18.—Employes of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad at Keyser have contributed over $400 to the Star of Hope Orphanage at Burlington, this county. Nearly $1,000 has been contributed to the Christmas fund so far.

There are 26 children at the refuge, who will be given a Christmas party next week by the Piedmont Rotary Club. They will be taken in automobiles to Piedmont, for a dinner, treat and theater party.

Navy Veterans' Post Gives Dance Tomorrow

Members of Admiral Robert E. Peary Ship No. 427, the all-Navy post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, will hold their annual ball tomorrow night in the Elks' ballroom, 919 H street northwest, with music furnished by Corley's Revelers. The affair begins at 9 o'clock.

During intermission the post members and guests will be entertained by the Hudlow Sisters, well-known Capital acrobatic dancers.

POLICE SEIZE AUTO AFTER WILD CHASE

Montgomery Confiscate 240 of Alleged Liquor and Arrest Driver.

ELUDED BY TWO CARS

Montgomery County police yesterday seized a small car loaded with alleged liquor for the Christmas trade after an exciting chase. Andrew Standfield, colored, 23 years old, of Washington, was captured after a foot race which culminated the wild ride.

County Policemen Charles Barnes and Joseph Nolte were patroling the road at Snell's Bridge, near Ashton, when three cars appeared, two small and one large car. The policemen gave chase and followed the cars to Ashton. Here the large car attempted to bolck them, but the policemen managed to pass and continue the chase of the smaller cars, which they believed were loaded with liquor.

The chase continued on the Olney road until, near Aspen, the police shot the rear tire from one car. Although almost unmanageable, the driver tried to force the police from the road and protect the other car. He finally was forced into a culvert and took to his heels. Standfield was captured after a chase of about a quarter of a mile.

Approximately 240 quarts of alleged liquor were found in the car, police said. The Negro was charged with transportation of intoxicating liquor with intent to sell, operating without a driver's license, reckless driving, failing to have a registration card in possession and displaying markers issued for another car, aMryland tags covered a set of District tags, the police said. Standfield was released on $1,000 bond.

Cumberland Woman Dies After Auto Injury

Special to The Washington Post.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 18.—Mrs. Mary E. Crawford, 74, wife of Thomas R. Crawford, died today at Memorial Hospital from injuries received when struck by an automobile driven by Frances Day on December 7, who reported to the police at the time that the woman stepped in the path of his car.

Besides her husband, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Peter Cosgrove, this city, and two brothers, Frank Judy, McKeesport, Pa., and O. B. Judy, Terre Haute, Ind.

Dog Bites Boy in Left Leg.

Eight-year-old John Baines, of 1319 Kennedy street northwest, was bitten on the left leg by a dog yesterday while he was on the street near his home. Dr. S. Wrenn Howard, of 1945 Calvert street northwest, treated him.

Two Persons Held In Apartment Raid

Door Battered Down and 61 Gallons of Alleged Liquor Seized.

Swooping down on an apartment in the Hermitage, 1117 Vermont avenue northwest, a block from the Department of Justice Building, Sergt. O. J. Letterman's liquor squad at 4:40 o'clock yesterday afternoon arrested a man and woman and seized 61 gallons of alleged liquor in a raid which created considerable excitement.

Battering down a door, Sergt. Letterman, leading Policemen J. A. Mostyn, G. C. McCarron and R. J. Cox, arrested Flynn Archibald Harrington, 24 years old, who gave his address as Tenth street, near M street northwest, and Mary E. Lipton, 30 years old, who gave her address as Pennsylvania avenue, near Seventeenth street northwest, both on charges of possession of liquor and operating a disorderly house.

A large crowd collected when the two persons were led from the building to a waiting police car and the alleged liquor was removed to a patrol. The two arrested were booked at the Eighth Precinct Station and released on $800 bond each.

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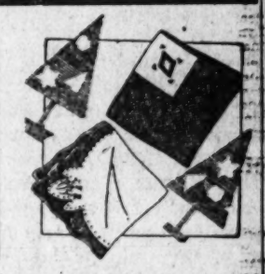

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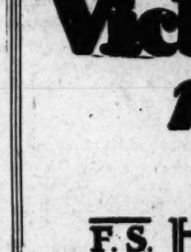

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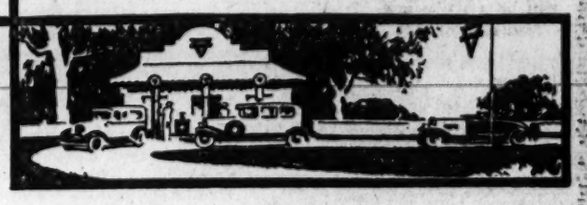

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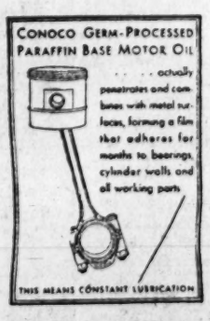
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JAPAN'S DEMANDS.

The first conference on naval limitation between the Japanese and American delegates has been held, and has brought an explanation of the demands which Japan will make at London. These demands may be summarized as follows:

First—Japan demands a 70 per cent ratio of the auxiliary naval strength of the United States and Great Britain.

Second—Japan insists upon a 70 per cent ratio of 10,000-ton cruisers.

Third—Japan asks for 78,000 tons of submarines, but if this figure is more than 70 per cent of the submarine tonnage of the United States and Great Britain the Japanese are willing to accept lower tonnage in destroyers, cruisers and auxiliary craft, exclusive of the 10,000-ton cruisers.

The conferencee lasted three hours, and two American delegates, Dwight W. Morrow and Senator Reed, were invited by Mr. Stimson to participate. Senator Reed did not attend, owing to duties at the Capitol. The only other American delegate here, Secretary of the Navy Adams, did not attend the conference, and there was much speculation in Japanese as well as in American circles as to the reason for his absence.

One explanation was that the Secretary of the Navy had been informed that the conference was to be a "small informal affair" at the request of the Japanese, and that his presence would not be necessary. The Japanese, however, were at a loss to understand how such an impression reached the State Department. They had expected the Secretary of the Navy to attend, especially as the discussion was to relate to naval questions, and as the Japanese Minister of Marine, Admiral Takarabe, was to be present as delegate.

According to prearranged plans for the second conference to be held today, all the American delegates in Washington, including Senator Reed, are scheduled to participate, but the name of the Secretary of the Navy is not on the list.

Presumably at today's conference there will be a more specific discussion of the Japanese demands and the attitude of the United States Government toward them.

It is needless to say that Americans look with some uneasiness upon the proposition that the size and relative strength of the United States Navy are to be determined by a political bargain with other powers, and that expert naval counsel is to be minimized if not disregarded entirely. The public would be vastly reassured if the Secretary of the Navy should take part in conferences which may shape the future of the Navy. There is full confidence in Charles Francis Adams, not only because of the traditions of his family but because he is possessed of more knowledge regarding the Navy than any other delegate. When Mr. Stimson and Mr. Morrow enter into an exchange of naval views with such an expert as Admiral Takarabe it is not to be expected that the Americans could hold their own. If the conference today is to define the position to be taken at London with respect to the relativity of the American and Japanese fleets of war it is highly desirable that Secretary Adams should be present.

BIG HOLIDAY BUSINESS.

A week or so ago the United Business Publishers, Inc., made public answers to a questionnaire distributed to retailers in nearly every line of business throughout the United States. They indicated that the decline in retail trade, as an aftermath of the stock market collapse, had been very slight. Neither retail sales nor manufacturing activity show signs of material depression. Smaller towns and cities did not feel the crash at all. In larger metropolitan areas the effect has been definite but actual curtailment in volume of business has not been great. Average sales of department stores and insurance agencies were better than they were in 1928. Public warehousing showed an upward trend.

A similar picture of good business was presented to President Hoover last week by Julius Barnes, director of the prosperity movement. Christmas buying, he said, is a little ahead of last year in volume throughout the United States. In the few shopping days remaining before Christmas the peak of holiday shopping will be reached. With purchasers showing no hesitation thus far, there is every reason to believe that the total volume of Christmas trade will exceed that of last year.

Christmas buying provides a barometer of the general business situation. Christmas gifts are, generally, of a luxury nature and if the public has funds with which to support Christmas buying in good volume, it has funds for general purchases. Christmas buying is more than a barometer, however. Profits from Christmas sales provide capital for the new selling season that opens the middle of January. Since merchants and manufacturers are doing a good Christmas business, they will have capital with which to carry forward their operations in the new year.

BETTER FIRE AND POLICE PAY.

The Zihlman-Capper bill, providing for pay increases for Washington police and firemen, is in the hands of the District Commissioners for their opinion. It is expected that they will heartily approve of the bill.

Washington is the only large city that has lagged behind in adjusting the pay of its firemen and police. Under the present scale the maximum pay of a police private is $2,100 a year, to obtain which he must have served, with credit, for three years. The entrance salary in the Police Department is $1,800. In 30 of the major cities of the country, the maximum pay for police privates is $2,400 or more; in 5 cities the maximum is $2,300 to $2,400; in 8 cities the maximum is $2,200 to $2,300, and in 22 cities the maximum is $2,100 to $2,200. Washington stands sixty-fifth from the top of the list of cities in the pay of firemen and police.

The pay scale for police and fire department officers is equally inadequate. A Washington police captain, for example, receives $2,500 a year, whereas in 30 cities privates are paid $2,400 or more, and in New York City, under the law that goes into effect January 1, the maximum pay of a private is $3,000.

New York was the last big city with the exception of Washington to adjust its police and fireman pay schedules. The matter was put before the people in the November election and the substantial majority registered for the proposal stands as evidence of the fact that New York public opinion favors the adequate payment of the city's protective forces. Washington unquestionably sees eye to eye with New York on this question. It realizes that the unceasing battle against crime and fire calls for men of the highest courage and reliability, and that to obtain such men it is necessary to pay them an adequate, living wage. The Zihlman-Capper measure would raise the maximum pay of policemen to $2,400 a year, increasing the pay of officers proportionately, and making similar upward adjustments in the fire department pay schedules. The public supports this proposed increase and hopes that Congress will pass this bill without delay.

JAIL BREAKS AND ARMS.

Two riots, both of which resulted in the death of several persons and wasteful destruction of property, were necessary to induce authorities of Auburn Prison to remove the arsenal out of reach of the prisoners. When prisoners mutinied last July they got possession of the arsenal with a large supply of machine guns, revolvers, sawed-off shotguns, rifles and tear gas bombs. By a stroke of good fortune they were kept away from these weapons in the riot last week and all those killed, except one, were prisoners. The arsenal has now been moved to a more strategic position in the front prison office, where it will be less liable to capture by rioters in the future.

Prison riots are serious only when desperate characters secure arms. In all the recent outbreaks there has been gun play and heavy casualties. In practically every case the prisoners have taken possession of the arsenal. The very fact that guns and ammunition are within their reach encourages incorrigible criminals to plot revolts. Further encouragement is given when guards enter the yards and cell blocks armed, as was the case at Auburn. Every time a guard with a pistol is overpowered the convicts are in a position to demand freedom or exact a heavy penalty of life.

The action of Auburn Prison in removing its arsenal out of reach of the prisoners and disarming its guards who are in danger of seizure should be noted by prison authorities throughout the country. There is nothing to indicate that the epidemic of prison riots is at an end. It is time that preventive measures were taken. No one knows where the craze for "freedom or death" will strike next. The danger is ever present wherever there is a possibility of hardened criminals securing arms.

When arsenals are removed and guards within the cell houses have been disarmed, attention should be given to the smuggling of guns into prisons. Despite the abundance of idealistic theory that is being advocated, the immediate problem of American prisons is to keep weapons out of the hands of their inmates.

FLOOD LAND COMPENSATION.

Bills to clarify the compensation clauses of the flood control act passed in Congress nearly two years ago have been introduced in both branches of Congress. The Senate bill is sponsored by Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, and the House bill by Representative Driver, also of that State. Their purpose is the same—to provide compensation for lands the value of which will be impaired by the Federal flood relief projects on the Mississippi.

Under the present law the Government does not intend to acquire rights to land in the proposed spillways that will be flooded in times of emergency. The only relief that is afforded the property owner is payment for actual damage done in time of floods. Farmers have found that property in the spillways is in such danger that they can not raise money on it and improvements are subject to periodical destruction. They are demanding some form of compensation. This would be provided in the new bill, which contemplates the acquisition of flowage rights or complete ownership by the Government.

Legislation on the subject is made more urgent by the decision of the United States District Court at New Orleans, which holds that the Government must pay for any damages to privately owned land occasioned by construction of a spillway in the Boeuf River Basin. The decision in this test case indirectly affects the claims of all property owners arising out of the Jadwin plan of flood control. The court decided in effect that Congress can not violate the fifth amendment to the Constitution by taking private property for public purposes without just compensation. An injunction, which brought the flood relief project to a halt, was granted. It appears that the work can not be continued until Congress acquires flowage rights over the spillway land.

The Robinson-Driver bill is the proper remedy for the deadlock in the flood relief project. It is obvious that this legislation must pass before flood protection on the Mississippi can be assured. When the tariff bill is out of the way Congress should promptly pass this amendment to the Jadwin plan.

Those having $15,000 incomes are to be envied. They get so much more out of tax reduction.

More than 600,000 persons bear titles of nobility in Spain. The closest parallel is the Mexican army.

In connection with the controversy over campaign expenditures, with twelve millionaires in the Senate why shouldn't the initiation fee be raised?

Dr. Walter Thayer, of Baltimore, says that youth of today is no worse than it was in past generations. There's just more of it.

The steamship President Polk loses Christmas Day crossing the international date line, which may give those suffering from marketitis an idea of how to solve the Santa Claus problem.

FEDERAL REORGANIZATION

By THEODORE G. JOSLIN,
In the Boston Transcript.

The need of reorganization has been recognized since the turn of the century. Almost year by year the subject has been considered by committees and commissions. It has been debated at great length on public platforms and in the chambers of the House and Senate. There has been almost unanimous agreement that changes in the executive establishment are sorely needed, but the presentation of any specific plan has resulted in controversies, for the most part initiated by officials of bureaus, commissions and departments, frustrating every effort that has been made. Because of the interference, nothing constructive has been done and an unwieldy body has tried to function, discharging executive duties in a more or less haphazard manner.

Widely varying estimates have been made as to the economies that might be expected to result from a reorganization of Government departments. Vice President Curtis, when Republican leader of the Senate, stated during a discussion of the Smoot-Mapes bill, that its passage would save $250,000,000 annually in Government expenditures.

This was the opinion of Mr. Hoover, back in 1924, when, as Secretary of Commerce, he testified before the joint committee of Congress. What he still has in mind will be better understood by a brief quotation from his testimony:

"Whatever these reductions of expenditure may be, they are not as important as the economies to the public in its relations to the Government, and in the larger ability of Congress to handle certain types of expenditure with better comprehension and long-view policies.

"Nor is the actual elimination of waste in its overlaps the only consideration. The tax on the public in the necessity to maintain contact with many different bureaus in many different departments in connection with the same type of relation, such as health, the merchant marine, or any of the others, is a tax probably greater than the cost of conducting many of these groups.

"Our industries and business are badgered to death for duplicate information by a host of noncoordinated agencies. Furthermore, there can be little definition of broad Government policies in these matters where there are rival functions dealing with them in many different departments of the Government."

In his acceptance speech, last August, Mr. Hoover repeated that one of the greatest difficulties of business with the Government is "the multitude of unnecessary contacts with Government bureaus, the uncertainty and inconsistency of Government policies, and the duplication of governmental activities."

A partial list of these misfits was incorporated by Mr. Hoover in his address before the United States Chamber of Commerce in 1925. He showed that Federal public works construction is divided among fourteen bureaus in nine out of the ten executive departments; conservation of natural resources among eight bureaus in five departments; direct aids to industry among five bureaus in two departments; direct aids to the merchant marine, fourteen in six departments; direct aids to education, six bureaus in three departments; direct aid to veterans, four bureaus in four departments; government of territories and dependencies, four bureaus in three departments; public health, four bureaus in three departments; purchase of Government supplies, in every one of the ten departments. And so on through a long list.

The Farmer Also Brings Down a Flock of Ducks.

PRESS COMMENT.

His Specialty.

Toledo Blade: "A plumber in Bavaria made gold out of a piece of lead pipe." A plumber would.

With Board Toe.

Detroit News: The Christmas stocking given Mr. Vare appears to have had a foot in it.

Ha, Ha!

Great Bend Tribune: It's all right, but it does look funny to see a farmer in overalls shoot out his arm to look at his wrist watch.

Make or Break.

Toledo Blade: Practice flights across the Atlantic are dangerous. Failure leaves no opportunity for trying again.

Mighty Poor Experiment.

Dayton Journal: They are still experimenting, but have still to find an automobile that can wreck a train and push it off the track.

Full of Miasma.

Boston Transcript: They have in Florida, a brand of hootch called "swamp distilled." One drink of it and you are hoplessly mired.

The Day After.

Des Moines Register: It is now asserted that man is 1,000,000 years old. And there are mornings when he feels like it.

Nimrods' Toll.

Atlanta Constitution: Deaths by train, auto, plane and ship will now be augmented by the fools who drag a shotgun through a barb-wire fence.

Familiarity Breeds Contempt.

Philadelphia Inquirer: The loss of respect for each other seems to be progressively mutual as the lobbyists and senators get to know each other better.

Setting New York Right.

Louisville Courier-Journal: A baronet is not a peer, but a commoner. Even the best-edited New York newspaper seems unable to distinguish between the two ranks and speaks of the newly named ambassador, Sir Ronald Lindsay, as though he were both the one and the other. Baron, not baronet, is the lowest step in the peerage and some who hold that title are among the most ancient of the order and go all the way back to the Norman conquest, which no duke, marquis or earl can do.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST.

A STATEMENT OF FACT.

It's getting on to Christmas,
And I know it by the signs.
Not because the wind blows colder,
And the leaves are off the vines,
Not because the year is aging,
Or the ground is flecked with snow,
But because a little lady
Up to bed seems glad to go.

And because this little lady
Seems excessively polite
And unusually loving
When her dad gets home at night,
And remarkably attentive
To her duties through the day,
I have come to the conclusion
Christmas can't be far away.

Oh, there is no doubt about it!
Though I have been known to err
In my boastful prophesying,
I will stake my life on her
Without fear of contradiction
To this statement I adhere,
We are rapidly approaching
The best day of all the year.

And should any wish to wager
On this prophecy I make
To my last bright copper penny
Every bet I'll gladly take.
Oh, the signs are all about me,
So conclusively I say
That all fathers here may know it:
It will soon be Christmas Day!

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Restaurant Patrons Still Prefer a Side Table Because Men Once Feared Attack.

By ROBERT QUILLEN

GREED is a product of fear.

In long settled rural communities there are many old people, passing rich by local standards, who deny themselves the comforts and conveniences commonly enjoyed by the poor.

Habit has made them slaves.

In their youth they practiced thrift as a virtue. They were poor and unrespected, and they lived in dread of want and shame and the world's contempt.

"We must get money," they said, "to be respectable. We must deny ourselves now to win independence and security for our old age."

They were afraid of poverty—afraid of the world's scorn—afraid of the injustice and discourtesy and bullying contempt the world has for the moneyless. They were even afraid of charity.

And to escape the things they feared, they worked hard and pinched pennies and denied themselves. Now they own a house and have money in the bank.

They have nothing to fear. They could enjoy many luxuries without endangering their future. They will die and leave money unspent. But habit has warped their minds and they are incapable of enjoying luxuries. They shudder at the thought of spending a dollar unnecessarily. They save pieces of string. They wear ragged clothing. Their sharp, greedy eyes glitter with a childish shrewdness as they bargain to save a penny.

The habit of greed, inspired by fear, has made them misers and robbed them of the ability to enjoy life.

That is the story of the human race.

Primitive man got his food where he could—drifting with the seasons, hunting, fishing, gathering wild grains and roots and nuts, and often he went hungry to bed.

When he learned to plant and plow and make a permanent home the fear of want urged him to gather and hoard a surplus, as the fear of thieves urged him to build walls and make weapons.

The strong had abundance and the weak went hungry and naked. Fear of want and misery urged men to get and get and get. Greed became a race habit. The fear of hunger had resulted in castles stored for a siege.

Now there is abundance for all, but race habit spurs men on to seize and hoard riches they do not need. The business of getting is still a career.

Men do not live. They do not know the art of living. Their brief years are spent at the childish business of gathering pebbles they must leave behind.

Race habit, inspired by fear, has robbed them of their birthright.

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THE ONCE OVER

By H. I. PHILLIPS

THE GARBLE SISTERS.

(They discuss the Chinese war, or nearly so.)

"Every time I pick up a paper it seems to me there's a new war over in China."

"Yeah. I notice that, too. I think Hoover makes a big mistake sending marines there to make 'em stop."

"Did he send marines to China?"

"Only a few days ago. There was a protest by Chile or somebody."

"I can't make out what the Chinese are fighting over, anyhow, can you?"

"Them West Indian countries is always scrapping. It's generally over a Mexican election."

"All I can get from the newspapers is that it's all on account of the sugar tariff. The President of China, a man named Grundy, did too much lobbying to help the Chinese sugar growers. Senator Walsh found it out, and in the riot that followed several prison keepers were shot."

"We sent a new ambassador to Shanghai the other day, and he may straighten things out."

"Who is he?"

"His name is Edge. He comes from Haiti."

"Oh, I remember. The Governor of Pennsylvania named him when the League of Nations wouldn't accept Senator Vare."

"What was all the row over Vare, anyhow?"

"He gave out a statement that the stock market was only showing a rally in a bear market, and that lower prices would be seen before New Year's or something."

"A lot of people have been killed in the Chinese war, ain't they?"

"Yeah. Mostly on account of the lack of automatic sprinklers. It would have been all over last week, though, if the Russians hadn't come in."

"What made the Russians come in?"

"They claimed the I'm Alone case was neutral territory and got sore over that note Secretary Stimson sent Trotzky."

"What note was that?"

"The note warning the Agha Khan he would have to take a license to marry that Paris saleslgirl."

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TWO CALENDARS.

If the proposed thirteen-month calendar is ever generally adopted, we may expect to hear a great roar from the now inarticulate public, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger. Only the event will disclose, however, whether it shall be a roar of approval or of protest. If the people have any interest in the subject, now is the time for them to speak, for the new-fangled division of the year is making headway.

The latest recruit of importance is a great mail-order concern which, beginning on the first Thursday in 1930, will test the proposed plan by using it in its internal affairs. Several hundred other concerns have tried it and now advocate its adoption generally. Whether it is to be brought into universal use and how is a problem before the League of Nations. It holds advantages for business. But the old-time calendar has its roots deep in tradition, and every year it is used those roots go deeper. To a very limited extent today the two calendars exist side by side. This duality is much more likely to grow than the old calendar is likely to be entirely displaced.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Every Congressman Should Have $10,000,000 to Protect Him Against the Lobby.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Today the lobbyist party is the strongest party in the United States, because it represents the "money power." But there are some people who think it is a charitable institution, organized to supply the wants of impecunious Government and State officials, asking nothing in return for its generous action. The Republican and Democratic parties elect their officials, and as soon as they have taken office they are apparently approached by an oily lobbyist with an unlimited amount of money, and if they fail they cease to be Republicans or Democrats and are only the tools of the lobbyist party to work with to accomplish their ends.

My idea to abolish the lobbyist party is to change the Constitution of the United States so it would read as follows: "No person shall be a representative who shall not have attained 40 years of age, and has been for 21 years a citizen of the United States, and shall be worth at least $10,000,000, and shall have one vote only." The same for senators. If Congress was composed of millionaires only, the lobbyist party and impecunious officials would fade away overnight. Anyway, the male members would.

The Constitution of the United States says, "Each house shall be the judge of the election returns and the qualifications of its own members." I believe that Congress has the same right to investigate the election returns of Gov. Fisher that it had to investigate Vare. All were tarred by the same stick. Is the sovereignty of a State more sacred than the sovereignty of the United States? Congress authorized a commission of fifteen to investigate the Hayes-Tilden election.

The Constitution does not state how many votes a representative may have. But it specifically says that each senator shall have one vote. How about the rich senator of today, who may have a few votes in his vest pockets and votes them?

H. E. FORD.

Magnolia Springs, Ala., Dec. 14.

Name of Elihu Root a Powerful Leverage in Pushing World Court Propaganda, But His Formula Nullifies the Senate Reservation Just the Same.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In reference to whether the Senate should ratify the so-called world court protocol this letter has to do with the "Root formula," which, to my mind, is not very impressive. Not impressive, that is, except as a fine example of the use to which a man's name may be put for the shaping of public opinion.

Give me the right fulcrum, and with a plausible and carefully plied leverage of words, I might come pretty near to carrying a national election. In the case of the world court the name of Root is such a fulcrum.

The choice of that name to conjure with was a happy one. It is associated in the common mind with statesmanship par excellence—a combination of legal acumen and constitutional profundity. And, accordingly, the twist by which a Senate reservation is made to swallow itself becomes more or less plausible.

Indeed, as the term "Root formula" rolls over the tongue, the strongest mind is fooled for an instant, and with the smooth and pleasant succulence of a prime salt-water oyster it has slipped without question down the gullets of thousands of credulous citizens.

Examine it for a moment, and common sense will indorse this letter's contention, which is to the effect that the Root formula absolutely reverses the Senate reservation safeguarding the United States. The reservation keeps us out of the court, while the Root formula puts us in.

FEDERALIST.

District's Experience in Voting Was Unfortunate, and Yet, Some People Never Learn From Experience.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Those good citizens who are advocating voting for the District are surely unaware of the main reasons for selecting the present form of government by three Commissioners—one each from the two principal political parties and one from the efficient Engineer Corps of the Army. When voting was in vogue here it was unsatisfactory. Congress, on this account, selected the present form of government, and it seems to be satisfactory to the bulk of our residents. Many of whom have voting residences in the States.

If voting here was objectionable long ago, how much more objectionable would it be today? But the human race seems to be averse to "letting well enough alone," and some of them are continually seeking changes. They don't seem to profit by past experience.

The President selects the District Commissioners and the Senate confirms them, as every one knows. Are not these gentlemen more capable of making selections than the average voting community in other localities? The President is virtually mayor of the town and Congress is our city council. When they display team work they are hard to beat.

H. T. M'CONVEY.

Is E Pluribus a Moslem, That He Prays for a Dry Christmas?

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: As to the frequent and luminous letters signed E Pluribus Unum, it is to be questioned whether writers of brilliance and conviction should withhold their names from their public—the case of the letters of Junius being in point. His last letter praying for a dry Christmas may be, however, a clew.

"Dryness," we know, was no part of the principle and practice of the Christian Church up to the near past, and one praying in those mellow days for a dry Christmas would have been held no less than a heretic. It is, on the other hand, of the essence of the Mohammedan's faith. Does "E Pluribus Unum" disguise Effendi Pasha Ul-Islam?

ABDALLAH.

DOUMERGUE GREETS EDGE WITH PRAISE

New Envoy From United States to France Presents His Credentials.

CEREMONY IS SIMPLE

Paris, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Walter E. Edge, who succeeded the late Myron T. Herrick at the American Embassy in Paris, presented his credentials to President Doumergue in a simple but impressive ceremony today and became a full-fledged ambassador.

Edge dispensed with the French cavalry escort usually provided for such occasions and went to the Elysee Palace in one of the president's automobiles. He was accompanied by M. Becq de Fouquieres, master of ceremonies at the palace.

President Doumergue greeted him with more than ordinary cordiality and replied to his remarks with real enthusiasm.

"Common struggles for glory in the past and the love of liberty and justice have united us forever," he told Edge after assuring him that the French people were animated by the same cordial sympathy toward America as the ambassador had expressed for France.

Recalls Historical Alliances.

"If France was able in other days to give precious aid to the United States, we take good care not to forget the efficacious and glorious part that American arms took in the victory that terminated our last war. Nor have we forgotten the multiple proofs of solidarity and generosity given on that occasion by the whole American people.

"In the course of your mission, which I hope will be long and fruitful, the collaboration between France and America for the realization of the ideal of peace common to both governments will continue to strengthen. The pact of Paris, moreover, traced the path for the development of policies that respond fully to the aspirations of the entire world.

Words of Praise for Herrick.

"I am persuaded in advance that you will work to that end as a worthy emulator of the great ambassador whose place you occupy today."

President Doumergue concluded with a word of personal thanks to President Hoover for the good wishes brought from him by Ambassador Edge. He asked Edge to transmit to Hoover "the wishes I entertain for his personal happiness as well as that of the entire American people."

Retired Naval Officer Files Suit Against McCarl

Byron Brown Ralston, of 227 Riverside Drive, New York City, a retired lieutenant commander of the Navy, filed suit yesterday in District of Columbia Supreme Court, seeking to have J. Raymond McCarl, comptroller general, and Charles Francis Adams, Secretary of the Navy, restrained from withholding $593.73 of his pay.

Ralston sets out that he was retired on May 14, 1928, under a special act of Congress and that since then the disbursing officer has withheld that sum. Investigation, Ralston states, revealed that McCarl had decided he had received overpayments of pay and allowances. Ralston asserts that he is not indebted to the Government. Attorney Samuel T. Ansell appears for the plaintiff.

Chinese Investigator Corrects Post Story

The Post yesterday received the following letter:

"I note some mistakes in your Monday's paper regarding my talk Sunday afternoon at the Washington Open Forum on the Chinese-Russian crisis. I must make at least four important corrections: First, my surname is Kiang and not Hu; second, my present work in the Library of Congress is in research and investigation, and not as organizing any collection; third, I never negotiated with the Soviet on behalf of the Chinese government; and fourth, my proposal in 1921 was for the autonomy of outer Mongolia and not for that of Manchuria. You will greatly oblige me by publishing this letter. Very truly yours,

"KIANG, KANG-HU."

The Listening Post

By CARLISLE BARGERON

IN view of the fad for a "business man's" government that has enjoyed a wide vogue in this country in recent years, it might not be amiss to point to the high state of efficiency and business sagacity which the Senate lobby committee is revealing day after day.

The manner in which these business men write letters and keep them in their files is, indeed, a little short of amazing. Apparently they write down their innermost thoughts. It would not be surprising, in fact, if the committee did not sooner or later come across a business man's diary.

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NOW take the adventure of Mr. Lakin who became enamored of low tariff sugar. There can be no questioning Mr. Lakin's standing in the business world. Well groomed, well mannered, he rates high. He is one to whom the directing board of any corporation would give an attentive ear.

But once he fell in love with this sugar idea, all of the wisdom and discretion of his years was apparently thrown to the winds. He gave his whole soul over to the romance. And now the letters of his wooing, breathing warmth and honeyed words in every line, are read before the country. Do they make Mr. Lakin's ears burn? Of course they do.

Not a secret was kept from his beloved. For that matter he did not even entertain a secret thought. It seems that virtually every night he sat down with pen in hand and poured out his soul.

He told with a frankness that is almost childish of the employment of Mr. Shattuck because of Mr. Shattuck's friendship for President Hoover. He told of plots and intrigue in the countries to the South.

The thought that his letters might later be made the subject of a breach of promise suit quite obviously never entered his mind.

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NOW, not only did Mr. Lakin write these letters, but he kept copies of them. He was proud of his handiwork. No doubt he considered them masterpieces of style.

It must have been that he cherished these letters, treasured them because of the ardor which they contained, the warming endearments, the high notes of optimism, a vigor that will of necessity wane with the passing of the years. Perhaps he wanted to save them, tie them with a little red ribbon and put them in his trunk in order to be able to bring them out in his old age and breathe of the enthusiasm of youth.

The Senate committee has come along, though, and made mockery of them, held them up to scorn, laughed at them, forgetting, of course, that it once had sentimental thoughts itself. Words that rang sweet and true to Mr. Lakin but a few months ago as he blotted the wet ink from the paper on which he wrote, now return as bitter pills, so bitter as to wry one's mouth.

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BUT Mr. Larkin is not the only one to get caught this way. The committee has virtually a trunk load of business men's letters in its possession. Just where and how it gets them no one knows.

It has a clerk or so and an investigator, but it would not seem possible that this small staff could cover so much ground and seize so many letters at one time.

There would seem to be two lessons for business men in what the committee has done. One would be to read the letters out loud after writing them to see how they sound and the other would be to tear up the files. It is poor efficiency that counsels keeping them. Mr. Lakin will tell you that.

French Debt Pact Signed by Hoover

Only Debts Incurred by Russia and Armenia Remain to Be Settled.

(Associated Press.)

The agreement for settlement of the French war debt to the United States was formally consummated yesterday when President Hoover signed the congressional resolution of ratification.

Only the obligations Russia and Armenia incurred to this country during the war remain to be settled. The Soviet government has disavowed the debt which was contracted during the czarist regime and Armenia has not come to terms.

The French government ratified the Mellon-Berenger agreement last summer. It provided for the payment of a principal of $4,025,000,000 over a period of 62 years.

The French debt was the most difficult to fund. The settlement was based on France's ability to pay, but even though the terms were considered generous in this country, much opposition to the arrangement developed in the French Parliament.

The total to be paid by France is $6,847,674,104, of which $2,822,674,104 will be paid as interest.

Morse Sees Optimistic Outlook for Business

An optimistic review of business conditions in fifteen Eastern States is presented by Harry E. Morse, of the American Chicle Co., who has just completed a business trip through much of the territory east of the Mississippi.

Morse found that business conditions in every place that he visited were in excellent condition and that the majority of persons to whom he talked were looking for improvement of a decided character in the spring.

Farnum Trial Set To Be Heard Today

Actor Declares He Has No Recollection of Misconduct on Train Trip.

Los Angeles, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Trial of a suit for separate maintenance brought by Mrs. Olive Ann Farnum against William Farnum, the actor, was postponed until tomorrow after a crowded Superior Court calendar forced continuance of the proceedings, which had been set for hearing today.

In the suit, Mrs. Farnum seeks $2,500 monthly allowance. She accused her husband of misconduct with Isabella Major, a writer, on a train trip. Farnum will be represented by deposition. He is living in New York.

In reply to the suit, Farnum said he recalled a trip across the country in which he met the writer, but had no recollection of any misconduct. He proposed an allowance of $100 a week for his wife and division of the community property in Hollywood.

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CHINESE UPRISING DECLARED BROKEN

Chiang Admits Fate of Government Hung by Single Hair.

PUKOW GROUP CRUSHED

Shanghai, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—President Chiang Kai-Shek announced today that loyal forces had broken the back of the rebellion which had brought the Nationalist government "to the brink of collapse." The government forces, he had asserted, had been victorious in the several areas in which the rebels took up arms.

The revolt, however, said Chiang, was the most serious crisis which the government had experienced. For a time, he admitted, "Our fate hung by a single hair—the loyalty and bravery of officers and men of the Nationalist army whose courage never faltered."

Asserting that rebellious and mutinous troops had been crushed in widely separate areas, the Nationalist military headquarters stated that the Pukow mutineers, whose numbers had reached many thousands as they threatened to march against Nanking, had been dispersed by Nationalist troops and the insurgent commander, Gen. Shih Yu-San, was fleeing toward the western part of Anhwei Province.

Nationalist troops, said advices from Hankow, were driving northward through Honan Province and were expected to end quickly the revolt under Tang Sheng-Chi, mutinous Nationalist general.

Badly defeated by government troops, the Kwangsi Province rebels and mutinous "Ironsides division" troops were scattered and their menace against Canton had ended, said Canton advices, after they had penetrated to within a few miles of the city.

Communist, or Red troops, however, continued to prey upon unprotected areas which they looted. The government dispatched 1,600 soldiers from Wuchang to break up a formidable organization in Hupeh Province. The Communists were believed to have units throughout the Yangtse Valley and were expected to give the government serious trouble before dispersed.

LIFE TRUSTEE

ROBERT V. FLEMING.

Deputies Seeking Daudet Amnesty

All Parties Except Socialist and Communist Appeal for Novelist's Son.

Paris, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—A group of deputies of all political parties except the Socialist and the Communist will wait upon Premier Tardieu tomorrow to ask for amnesty in favor of the Royalist leader, Leon Daudet, who is living in exile in Belgium.

M. Daudet, who is the son of the novelist, Alphonse Daudet, was sentenced to prison for libeling a taxi chauffeur in whose cab Philippe Daudet was found dead a few years ago. M. Daudet has conducted a persistent campaign to show that his son was murdered.

He was released from the Sante Prison through a clever hoax played on the prison director by a group of Royalists, who obtained Daudet's release by faking a telephone order from the ministry of the interior. Daudet escaped across the frontier, and the government avenged itself by declaring him an exile. He has occupied his time by writing essays, which have been collected in book form.

GEOGRAPHIC SOCIETY VACANCIES FILLED

Robert V. Fleming, Head of Bank, Elected Life Trustee of Group.

E. P. GROSVENOR NAMED

Robert V. Fleming, president of the Riggs National Bank and identified with numerous civic and community organiaztions here, and Edwin P. Grosvenor, New York attorney, yesterday were elected life trustees of the National Geographic Society.

Both were named to fill vacancies on the organization's board of trustees, which numbers many notables, including Chief Justice William Howard Taft, of the United States Supreme Court; former President Calvin Coolidge, Gen. John J. Pershing and Ambassador Charles G. Dawes.

Mr. Fleming was born in Washington and throughout his 22 years of business activity has taken an active and influential part in the financial, commercial and civic affairs of the city. At the age of 39 he heads the Riggs National Bank and is thus one of the youngest presidents of a major financial institution in the United States.

After receiving his elementary and secondary education at Friends' School and Western High School, Mr. Fleming in 1907 and 1908 attended George Washington University while beginning his financial career as a messenger of the Riggs National Bank.

Mr. Grosvenor formerly served as special assistant to the Attorney General.

Mr. Grosvenor is a twin brother of Dr. Gilbert Grosvenor, president of the National Geographic Society and editor of the National Geographic Magazine.

Mr. Grosvenor went to preparatory school at Robert College, to Worcester Academy, was graduated magna cum laude at Amherst, later awarded his M. A. at Amherst, and obtained his LL. B. at Columbia University Law School. He was president of the Alumni Association of Columbia University Law School, 1926-1928.

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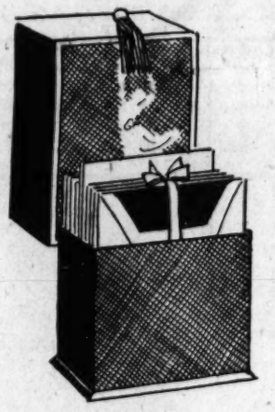

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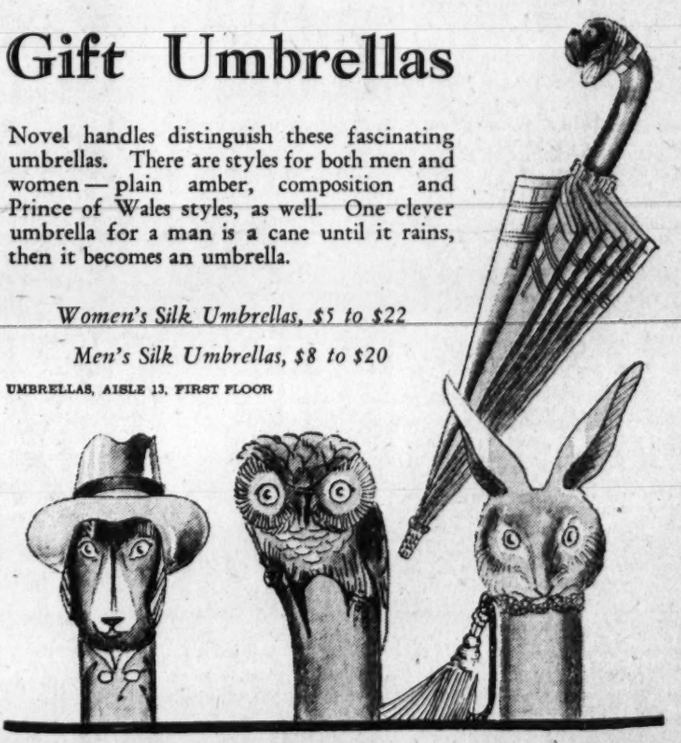

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EVENTS OF INTEREST IN SOCIETY CIRCLES OF CAPITAL

Japan Envoys Are Guests at White House

Brilliant Dinner Marks End of Official Mourning.

By JEAN ELIOT.

ENTERTAINING formally for the first time since the period of official mourning for the late Secretary of War was decreed, the President and Mrs. Hoover were hosts at dinner last evening to the Japanese delegates to the naval arms conference, who are in Washington for a few days on their way to London.

With the Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Debuchi, the group of honor guests included Mr. Reijiro Wakatsuki, chief of the delegation; Admiral and Mme. Takeshi Takarabe, Admiral Kyotane Abo, Mr. Tatsuo Yamakawa, Mr. Takukichi Kawasaki, Count Aisuke Kabayama, Vice Admiral Seizo Sakonji, Mr. Hiroshi Saito and Rear Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto.

The other guests at the dinner were the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Charles Francis Adams, Senator and Mrs. William E. Borah, Senator and Mrs. Claude Swanson, Senator and Mrs. James E. Watson, Senator Frederick Hale, Senator David A. Reed, Representative and Mrs. Fred Britten, Representative and Mrs. Carl Vinsen, Admiral and Mrs. Charles F. Hughes, Admiral William V. Pratt, Mr. Joseph P. Cotton, Undersecretary of State; the United States Ambassador to Mexico and Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow, the Special United States Ambassador to Japan and Mrs. William R. Castle, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacVeagh, the Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Ernest Lee Jahncke, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Hilary P. Jones, Mr. and Mme. Sotomatsu Kato, Capt. and Mme. Tsuneyoshi Sakano, Mr. J. Theodore Marriner, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Ballentine, Miss Isabel Cotton, Capt. Allen Buchanan and Maj. Raymond E. McQuillan.

The table, with the beautiful Dolly Madison service of silver gilt as a centerpiece, was effectively decorated with butterfly roses, pink snapdragons, steevia and smilax. During the dinner the Marine Band Orchestra played from its accustomed place in the corridor.

In the afternoon the delegates were guests of the Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Debuchi, who entertained at the Mayflower for 1,500 guests. With the hosts in the receiving line were Mr. Wakatsuki, Admiral and Mme. Takarabe and Mr. Tokugawa, Japanese Minister to Canada. Nearby stood Mr. Setsujo Sawada, Japanese Consul General to New York and a member of the delegation, with Mme. Sawada. All afternoon they were surrounded by an animated group and were busy renewing old friendships formed when Mr. Sawada was Counselor of the Japanese Embassy in Washington.

Palms and great clusters of chrysanthemums decked the Chinese room, where the Ambassador and Mme. Debuchi greeted their guests. In the ballroom, which was also used for the fete, a long buffet table was laid, gay with scarlet poinsettias and white chrysanthemums. The red and white of the Japanese flag was repeated in ornamental baskets of spun sugar filled with cakes and candies. Cakes iced with the Risin Sun flag of Japan and the Star-Spangled Banner contributed a further decorative note.

The hostess was charmingly gowned in the Occidental mode in black velvet and lace, with a relieving touch of ecru lace about the throat, and wore a smart close-fitting black hat. In piquant contrast, Mme. Takarabe wore the Oriental dress of her native land. It was fashioned of heavy crepe in a rich plum color, with clusters of rose pink blossoms scattered over the surface and a wave patterned band of seagreen about the hem. The green and rose tones were repeated in the obi.

The British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard were present, with Mr. Michael Wright, third secretary of the embassy, and other diplomats glimpsed in the colorful, ever-shifting throng were the Ambassador of Brazil, Senor S. Gurgel do Amaral; the Minister of Uruguay and Senora de Varela, the Minister of Poland and Mme. Filipowicz and the new Minister of South Africa and Mrs. Eric Louw.

Mrs. Taft, wife of the Chief Justice, was an early arrival. And if the ladies of the Cabinet group were conspicuous by their absence it was because they were observing their first afternoon at home of this administration. Some may have slipped in for a moment after their last guests had been received; and while the reception was at its height one spied the Secretary of Labor and Mrs. Davis—Mrs. Davis having announced that she would not be at home yesterday. Many of the guests had been making the round of Cabinet calls or arrived early and slipped away to call upon Mrs. Gann, sister of the Vice President, or such of the Cabinet hostesses as were receiving.

Among the guests were Mrs. Henry F. Ashurst, Mrs. James S. Parker, Mrs. Henry Winfield Watson, Mrs. Clyde Kelly, Representative and Mrs. Sol Bloom, Miss Vera Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont, the Misses Patten, Mrs. Chandler Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Harriman, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ellis, Mrs. Karl Klem, Mrs. Jacob Leander Loose, Mrs. Robert Mackenzie, Mrs. William Barret Ridgely, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Joseph Straus, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Luke McNamee, Mrs. J. Fred Essary, Mrs. Theodore Tiller, Mrs. Georgia Knox Berry, Miss Katherine Berry, Mrs. James William Orme, Miss Marguerite Orme, Mrs. Gardiner Orme, Mrs. Peter Drury, accompanied by the two charming nieces who are visiting her; Miss Elise Alexander, Col. Alexander Greger, Mr. Herbert Hengstler and Mr. Robert Hinckley.

Mrs. Kyoko Jujo, whose home is in New York, arrived yesterday to be with her parents, Admiral and Mme. Takarabe, and was a guest at the luncheon which Mrs. William R. Castle, jr., gave yesterday for Mme. Takarabe.

The Cuban Ambassador and Senora de Ferrara entertained informally at dinner last evening in compliment to the Mayor of Havana and Senora de Gomez, who are their guests.

The Minister of the Union of South Africa, Mr. Eric Louw, returned yesterday from a brief stay in New York.

The Minister of Hungary and Countess Szechenyi will entertain at a reception this afternoon to introduce their daughter, Countess Alice Szechenyi. The tea was postponed from November 30 because of the period of official mourning.

The Minister of China and Mme. Wu will have as guests for the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Lee, who will arrive today and who will be guests at the dinner Dr. and Mme. Wu will give tonight for Mr. Nelson T. Johnson, newly appointed United States Minister to China. Mr. Lee has been serving as Chinese Minister to Mexico and is on his way to China, having been named vice minister of foreign affairs.

The Minister and Mme. Wu and Dean Roscoe Pound, of Harvard University, were the honor guests of Judge and Mrs. Charles Lobingier at dinner Monday evening.

The French Ambassador and Mme. Claudel entertained at dinner at the embassy last evening. Their guests were the Belgian Ambassador and Princess de Ligne, the Attorney General and Mrs. William DeWitt Mitchell, the Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. Robert Patterson Lamont, Representative Piatt Andrew, Dr. and Mrs. Vernon Kellogg, Judge John Barton Payne, Mr. Ronald Ian Campbell, counselor of the British Embassy; the Commercial Counselor of the Swedish Legation and Mme. Gustav Weidel, Mrs. Lawrence Townsend, Countess de Buyer, Mrs. Tracy Dows, Miss Helen Patten, Princess Elizabeth de Ligne, Miss Gertrude Lamont, Miss Dorothea Morgan, Herr zu Putlitz, of the German Embassy; Gen. Raymond Casenave, M. Jules Henry, M. Lacour-Gayet and M. de la Blanchetal, of the embassy staff, and Miss Reine Claudel.

The Roumanian Minister presided at a dinner last night at International House, 500 Riverside drive, New York. Mr. Davila opened an exhibition of fine arts from Roumania. All of the Roumanian members of International House participated in a program of native folklore, dances and art.

Bride of Yesterday

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MRS. CHRISTIAN CRISTENSEN, who before her marriage at noon yesterday was Miss Cora Wells March, daughter of Federal Trade Commissioner and Mrs. Charles Hoyt March.

Envoy of Cuba Among Guests At Music Fete

Mayor of Havana Also Attends Concert of Compatriots.

Keenly interested in the youthful Cuban singer, the Ambassador of Cuba and Senora de Ferrara attended Mrs. Lawrence Townsend's morning musicale at the Mayflower yesterday, at which Senorita Emma Otero made her Washington debut, singing with Mr. Richard Crooks, tenor. Afterward they were guests of Mrs. Townsend at her luncheon in compliment to the artists. Mrs. Townsend's other guests were the Secretary of War and Mrs. Patrick J. Hurley, the Mayor of Havana and Senora de Gomez, who arrived in town today to be guests of Ambassador and Senora de Ferrara at the embassy; Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury, of Philadelphia; Mr. U. Grant Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, Miss Laura Tuckerman, Mrs. Frank Letts, Senor Don Jose M. Linares-Rivas, secretary of the Spanish Embassy; Mr. A. J. Pack, of the British Embassy; Senor Don Gonzalo Guell, of the Cuban Embassy; Miss Carmen Otero, mother of the guest of honor; Mr. and Mrs. Frank La Fargo, of New York; Mr. Rudolph Gruen, Miss Margaretta Wright and Mr. Thomas Stone, of the Canadian Legation.

For the concert Mrs. Edward Everett Gann was a guest of Mrs. James Couzens in her box afterward being a guest at the luncheon which Mrs. Joe Crail gave for the president and officers of the Congressional Club. Mrs. Couzens also entertained guests at luncheon.

Beside Mrs. Gann, Mrs. Crail's guests were Mrs. Ray Lyman Wilbur, wife of the Secretary of the Interior; Mrs. James E. Watson, Mrs. Charles L. McNary, Mrs. Walter F. George, Mrs. Porter H. Dale, Mrs. Charles S. Deneen, Mrs. Henry J. Allen, Mrs. Cordell Hull, Mrs. C. William Ramseyer, Mrs. Louis T. McFadden, Mrs. Clarence F. Lea, Mrs. Clay Stone Briggs, Mrs. Hamilton Fish, jr., Mrs. Homer Hoch, Mrs. Daniel A. Reed, Mrs. Lawrence Richey, Mrs. Robert B. Armstrong, Mrs. Frank B. Mondell, Mrs. Daniel J. O'Brien, Mrs. T. V. O'Connor, Mrs. Blair Banister, Mrs. Harold Reed Smoot and Mrs. O. T. Johnson, jr.

Mrs. William Howard Taft was the guest in whose honor Mme. Henry Roso entertained. Her other guests were Miss Bessie Kibbey, Mrs. James Brown Scott, Mrs. Charles Wood, Mrs. William L. Crounse, Mrs. Henry W. Watson, Mrs. Paul Johnson and Mrs. Douglas P. Birnie.

Among those glimpsed at the concert—to name but a few at random—were the Ambassador of Brazil, Mr. S. Gurgel do Amaral; the Minister of Austria and Mme. Prochnik and Senora de Varela.

Mr. Allan Hoover To Be White House Guest.

The President and Mrs. Hoover will have their younger son, Mr. Allan Hoover, with them at the White House for the Christmas holidays. He will come from Cambridge, where he is a student at the Harvard School of Business Administration. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoover, jr., and their children, now at their California home, will not be able to be with the President and Mrs. Hoover for Christmas.

The British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard were guests at the dinner given last evening by Mrs. Hope Slater.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gilpin, of Boyce, Va., are making a short visit in Washington at the Mayflower.

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Miss March Is Wed to Aid Of Farm Unit

Daughter of Member of Trade Commission Is Bride.

Miss Cora March, daughter of the Federal Trade Commissioner and Mrs. Charles Hoyt March, formerly of Litchfield, Minn., was married yesterday at high noon to Mr. Christian Lauritha Christensen at the home of her parents, on Connecticut avenue, a small company of friends assembling for the ceremony. Mr. Chris-

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EVENTS OF INTEREST IN SOCIETY CIRCLES OF CAPITAL

Coming Week Includes Many Social Events

Receptions and Teas on Calendar for Capital Residents.

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tensen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Marius Christensen, of Minden, Nebr.

Following a short orchestral program Mr. Kurt Hetzel played the wedding march as the bride entered the drawing room with her father. The Rev. Ze Barney Phillips, rector of the Church of the Epiphany, performed the ceremony in a setting of palms, ferns and chrisanthemums, with lighted tapers.

The bride wore a gown of ivory velvet with rose point and a veil of rare Brussels lace which fell in a long train. Miss March is the fifteenth bride to wear the veil, which is the property of her cousin, Mrs. B. V. Laughlin. The bridal bouquet was of gardenias, gypsophelia and forget-me-nots. There were no attendants. Mr. Douglas B. Porteous was best man.

A buffet breakfast was served in the dining room, which was effectively decorated in white and green. Miss Agnes Shands, a schoolmate of the bride, assisted Mr. and Mrs. March in receiving the guests.

Mr. Christensen, who is secretary to the Federal Farm Board, took his bride on a motor trip to Florida. They will also visit Cuba. The bride's going away gown was of brown velvet with accessories to match.

They will be at home after February 1 at their apartment, 3601 Connecticut avenue.

Among the guests were Attorney General and Mrs. William D. Mitchell, Mr. Justice Butler and Mrs. Butler, Senator and Mrs. Thomas D. Schall, Mr. Dwight W. Morrow, United States Ambassador to Mexico; Mr. Alexander Legge, of the Federal Farm Board; Mr. and Mrs. William E. Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Ferguson, Col. and Mrs. George C. Thorpe, Mr. and Mrs. Carl William, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dennan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Wilson and former Gov. Sam R. McKelvie.

From out of town came Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Groesbeck, Thomas Cochran and R. B. Scandrett, of New York.

The marriage of Mrs. Estelle Flanders, of Minneapolis, and Representative M. I. Nolan, also of Minneapolis, will take place in Washington, Saturday, December 21. The ceremony will be performed at 11 o'clock at the home of the Rev. James Montgomery, who will read the service. Mrs. Flanders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Abel, of Minneapolis, are now in Washington, having come for the marriage, and the three daughters of Representative Nolan, Miss Jermaine Nolan, Miss Patricia Nolan and Miss Edwina Nolan, will also be guests at the wedding. Representative Nolan will take his bride on a wedding trip to Panama.

Mr. Nolan, Republican, succeeded Representative Walter Newton last June after the latter had become one of President Hoover's private secretaries.

Senator Couzens And Family Leaving.

Senator and Mrs. James Couzens and their daughters, Miss Margo Couzens and Miss Betty Couzens, will leave town tomorrow for Detroit, where they will spend Christmas.

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Ernest Lee Jahncke, who will give a reception today at the Mayflower for officers of the Navy stationed in Washington and their wives, will be assisted in receiving by the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Charles Francis Adams, the Assistant Secretary of Navy for Aeronautics and Mrs. David S. Ingalls and the Chief of Naval Operations and Mrs. Charles F. Hughes. At the tea table will be Mrs. Richard H. Leigh, Mrs. David F. Sellers, Mrs. Ridley McLean, Mrs. Charles E. Riggs, Mrs. Hilary Jones and Mrs. Andrew T. Long.

The Grand Duchess Kira, of Russia, has taken an apartment at the Carlton, where she will remain for some time, accompanied by Mrs. Deming Jarves, of Dinard, France.

Senator and Mrs. Wesley L. Jones have with them in their apartment at the Hotel Roosevelt their son, Mr. H. B. Jones, who will return to his home in Seattle the end of the week.

Mr. John Pelenyi, Counselor of the Legation of Hungary, and Mme. Pelenyi have returned from Cleveland, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Pelenyi's father, Mr. R. H. Harmon.

Representative and Mrs. John C. Schafer will remain in Washington for the holidays and will have as their guests Midshipmen James H. Cambell, Mr. George Wendleberg and Mr. Charles Schafer.

Mr. Ogden H. Hammond, of Bernardsville, N. J., former United States Ambassador to Spain, is a guest at the Mayflower.

Mrs. Wirt Robinson, widow of Col. Wirt Robinson, former professor of chemistry and electricity at the United Military Academy, with her little daughter, Evelyn Byrd Robinson, has taken an apartment at Tilden Gardens, 3024 Tilden street.

Sons to Visit Col. and Mrs. Taylor.

Col. and Mrs. W. W. Taylor will have with them during the holidays, their sons, Cadet W. W. Taylor, of West Point, and Cadet Oliver Taylor, of Shenandoah Valley Academy.

Mrs. Henry Wells will entertain at tea this afternoon in the Palm Court of the Mayflower in compliment to Mrs. Edward Harmon, of New York and Virginia.

Col. Harry Burgess, Governor of the Canal Zone, and Mrs. Burgess, who have arrived in town on leave, are staying at the Lafayette Hotel.

Mrs. William Elmer Evans, wife of Representative Evans, of California, will give a tea dance at the Mayflower on December 26 for her daughter, Miss Catherine Evans, and in compliment to Miss Junia Culbertson.

Cadet Springer To Visit Here.

Cadet William Fletcher Springer, of the third class, Military Academy, will spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Maj. and Mrs. Horace F. Springer, at the Fairfax Hotel.

Mr. Walton Sandoz, son of Commander and Mrs. F. L. Sandoz, will come from New York on Christmas Eve for a brief holiday visit with Commander and Mrs. Sandoz.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gibbs have given up their house at 2604 Thirty-first street and have taken an apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Miss Shirley Gibbs has come from Smith College to pass the holidays at the hotel with her parents.

Gen. and Mrs. John A. Johnston will not be at home on New Year's day owing to illness in the family.

Representative and Mrs. Herbert Fisher, of Tennessee, now living at the Fairfax, will have as their guests during the holidays their sons, Mr. Hubert Fisher, jr., of Princeton University, and Mr. Adrian Fisher, of Choate School.

Mrs. Eugene R. Woodson will be joined today by her daughter, Miss Jean Woodson, from National Park Seminary. Miss Woodson will have as her guest for the holidays Miss Suzanna Faucette, of Asheville, N. C.

Maj. and Mrs. Burton Young Read will leave town on Saturday to pass the holidays with Mrs. Read's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kitchin.

Judge and Mrs. Kerr To Have Yuletide Guests.

Judge and Mrs. Charles Kerr will have with them for Christmas, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Parker, who will arrive Saturday from their home in Providence, R. I.

Mr. Davis Elkins has joined Mrs. Elkins and their two children, who are with her mother, Mrs. Catherine Regan, for the holidays.

Mrs. Woodson will entertain at a tea dance in the Palm Court of the Mayflower on December 28 for Miss Katherine Berry.

Mrs. Betty Moualey has returned to Washington after passing a month at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alessandro Felizetta, in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson L. Ford, jr., entertained last night at the seventh of a series of bridge parties they are giving in the Colonial Hotel. Mrs. N. Moore, of Falls Church, Va., a guest of the hotel, made high score for the evening.

Miss Edith Weld Peck, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is staying at the Dodge Hotel.

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With the Secretary of War and Mrs. Patrick J. Hurley as the honor guests, the first of the series of the Army dances was given last night at the Willard. Most of the high-ranking Army officers stationed in town were present, with their wives, and many gave dinners to precede the fete.

In the receiving line with Gen. Charles P. Summerall, chief of staff, and Mrs. Summerall, were Secretary and Mrs. Hurley, the Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Arthur M. Hyde and Maj. and Mrs. Robert Dunlop. Mrs. Briant Wells, wife of the deputy chief of staff, was in charge of arrangements for the fete.

The Secretary of War and Mrs. Hurley dined before the ball with Col. and Mrs. Leonard T. Gerow, who had a distinguished company of guests to meet them.

The Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Arthur M. Hyde were the guests for whom Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Hugh Carnes Smith gave a dinner at the Mayflower before the dance. The others in the company were Senator and Mrs. Harry B. Hawes, Senator and Mrs. Roscoe C. Patterson, Representative and Mrs. Leonidas C. Dyer, Representative and Mrs. Edgar C. Ellis, Representative and Mrs. David Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bestor, Col. and Mrs. Henry M. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Smithwick, Col. and Mrs. Edwin A. Hickman, Col. and Mrs. Paul T. Hayne, Capt. and Mrs. Arthur C. Stott, Col. and Mrs. Dennis P. Quinlan, Col. and Mrs. Arthur W. Brown, Maj. and Mrs. Edwin C. McNeil and Maj. and Mrs. J. Huntington Hills.

Gen. Charles P. Summerall, Chief of Staff, and Mrs. Summerall were hosts at dinner at the Willard, going afterward with their guests to the ball. In their party were Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Briant H. Wells, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. B. F. Cheatham, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Andrew Hero, jr., Maj. Gen. and Mrs. H. B. Crosby, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. J. E. Fechet, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. C. S. Gibbs, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. E. A. Kregar, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. C. H. Bridges, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. S. O. Fuqua, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. H. L. Gilchrist, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. W. G. Everson, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. E. L. King, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. E. E. Booth, Maj. and Mrs. Robert H. Dunlop, Mrs. Sydney A. Cloman, Miss Anne Powell Randolph, Miss Mary Randolph, Mrs. Theodore A. Baldwin, Miss Katherine Judge, Maj. Gen. Lytle Brown, Brig. Gen. A. J. Bowley, Brig. Gen. F. LeJ. Parker, Col. Stanley Ford and Col. Edmund P. Easterbrook. Others taking dinner guests to the dance were Maj. and Mrs. Roy F. Brown, who entertained at Brooke Manor; Col. Henry S. Merrick, Col. and Mrs. E. V. Bookmiller, Maj. and Mrs. Creswell Garlington, Maj. and Mrs. Howard Davidson, Maj. and Mrs. R. E. O'Brien, Maj. Roland Walsh and Capt. and Mrs. J. A. B. Bibson.

Peter A. Drurys Are Dinner Hosts.

Entertaining in honor of the British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Drury will be hosts at a brilliant reception this afternoon at their house in Massachusetts avenue. The hostess will be assisted by Senora de Alfaro, Mrs. Henry F. Ashurst, Mrs. Emmet C. Gudger, Senora de Chevalier, Mrs. Merchant Mahoney, Mrs. Parker West, Miss Gytha Stourton, Mme. von Lewinski, Mrs. Lucy Wilder Morris, Mrs. Rolfe Bolling, Mrs. Thomas H. Carter, Mrs. Cabot Stevens, Mrs. James William Orme, Mrs. William H. Carter, Mrs. T. Gaines Roberts and Mrs. B. Montgomery Wise.

Also in the group assisting will be Miss Male Fleming, of Ireland, niece of Mr. Drury, and Mrs. Drury's niece, Miss Genevieve Hawkins, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Drury.

Mr and Mrs. R. H. Campbell, 1835 K street, will have with them during the Christmas season their son, Cadet John Wesley Campbell, who is attending Augusta Military Academy, in Virginia.

Miss Brady Is Wed To Lieut. Zuber.

The marriage of Miss Alice Rita Brady, of Washington, and Lieut. Adolph Zuber, U. S. M. C., took place at 4 o'clock yesterday at the chapel of the United States Naval Academy.

Miss Brady is the niece of Maj. and Mrs. Harold H. Utley, who have been recently transferred from Quantico, Va., to Nicaragua.

Lieut. Zuber is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Zuber, of Elizabeth, N. J.

Following a motor trip through the South, Lieut. and Mrs. Zuber will be at home at Quantico, Va., where the former is assigned to duty.

Miss Pauline Adams, of The Plains, Va., and Lieut. John S. Letcher, U. S. M. C., were their attendants.

Mrs. Margaret Sheridan O'Connell entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Mayflower, following Mrs. Lawrence Townsend's morning musicale.

Lieut. and Mrs. Horace G. Trainer and their young son will entertain at Christmas Mrs. Trainer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James G. Shibley, who will arrive tomorrow from their home in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Helen McCoy will receive informally tomorrow from 3 until 7 o'clock at Shadowall, her studio home, 3525 Thirty-first street, Georgetown. No cards will be issued. There will be an interesting exhibition of artistic work by a number of Washington and New York artists. Miss Katherine Morris will preside in the dining room. Mrs. G. R. Butts and Mrs. George T. Mankin will assist. Among those present last Thursday were Mrs. Page Hufty, Mrs. T. F. Murphy, Mrs. Jay Bancroft, Mr. Elliott Murphy, Mrs. T. W. Cochran and Maj. Duffy.

Bridesmaid Today

Olinedinst.

MISS MARGARET AYERS, daughter of Representative and Mrs. W. A. Ayers, who is to be bridesmaid at the marriage today of Miss Alva M. Seger to Representative Fred H. Dominick, of South Carolina. Miss Seger is the daughter of Representative and Mrs. George N. Seger, of New Jersey.

Silver Years

"After the golden years of youth, come those of fine silver."

By GERTRUDE S. TROWBRIDGE.

A doctor once reported to his medical society that success frequently followed the simple expedient of making his chronic cases count their good hours, realizing exactly how long they are without pain. Surprising alleviation and even cures followed this method. Rarely do sufferers endure continuous agony else they would lose their minds or expire. But many darken their whole day by anticipating or remembering attacks whereas they might find that seizures are few and momentary—not enough to prevent effectiveness if ignored.

Robert L. Stevenson got more out of his good hours, in which he blessed the world with the tonic of courage and the savor of delicious writing, than many well persons who do not use their full faculties or who waste their time.

A person who awakens in a blue mood would be wise to realize that that, too, is temporary and say with Coue, "This will pass," or follow the example of the woman who, mightily, hung a placard on the foot of her bed with the encouraging slogan for early morning, "I shall feel better by 10 o'clock."

It is the same thing with loneliness—that bitter mental suffering, the poignancy of which can not be dismissed with a wave of the hand. It can be faced in only its actual hours that must be bravely borne. From its duration must be subtracted the third of time which is passed in sleep. Still more may its impression be reduced by realizing those hours spent in bathing or other personal attentions where company is unnecessary. There must be provision also for constructive work, best done in solitude.

For the rest of the time, probably the best alleviation lies in seeking out others in similar loneliness and in doing something helpful for them. This common ground of suffering often brings about deep friendships and gives support for grit and inspiration for going on.

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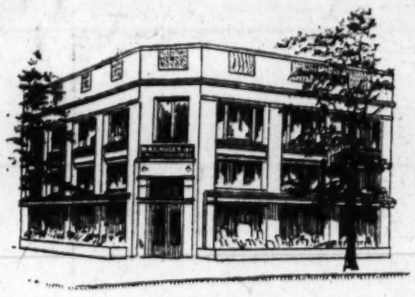

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1-lb. Box All Creams..... 1.25
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1-lb. Tin Hard Candy..... 60c
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½-lb. Box Honey Nougat.... 60c
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2-lb. Picture Box Chocolates. 2.50
2-lb. Spec. Holiday Box..... 3.25
2-lb. Tally-Ho Assortment... 3.25
3-lb. Picture Box Chocolates. 4.50
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1-lb. Box Mirror Mints..... 1.00
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Opera Star To Be Heard Over Radio

Mary Garden to Sing From WRC Tonight. "Aida" Is Also Scheduled—Bands to Play—Post Brevities, 8 A. M.

Mary Garden, famous not only as an opera singer but as one of the most outstanding personalities of the day, will be the featured artist of the Radio-Victor Hour to be broadcast over a national network at 10 o'clock tonight, including Station WRC. The instrumental selections will be played by an orchestra under the direction of Nathaniel Shilkret.

The complete program follows:

"The Victor" (Shilkret), "Marche Heroique" (Saint-Saens), and "Girls" (Pierne), orchestra; 'Depuis Le Jour" from "Louise" (Charpentier), Miss Garden; "Introduction and Allegro" (Ravel), strings, harp, flute and clarinet; "Manhattan Moonlight" (Alter), orchestra; "At Dawning" (Cadman), and "Comin' Thru the Rye" (folk song), Miss Garden; "Turkey in the Straw" (Guion), "Girl With the Flaxen Hair," "Minstrels" and Ballet No. 4 from the "Petite Suite" (Debussy), orchestra; "Beau Soir" (Debussy), and "Card Scene from "Carmen" (Bizet), Miss Garden; "Rio Rita," special arrangement with vocal quartet, "Mandolinata Paraphrase" (Paladilhe and Saint-Saens), and "Shadow Dance" (MacDowell), orchestra; "In the Gloaming," Miss Garden with vocal quartet, and "Rhapsody in Blue," orchestra.

The great Egyptian love tragedy of opera, Giuseppe Verdi's "Aida," will be broadcast in condensed form by the National Grand Opera Company at 11 o'clock tonight. The cast follows: Aida, Astrid Fjelde, soprano; "Amneris," Devora Nadworney, contralto; Rhadames, Julian Oliver, tenor; Amonasro, Frederic Baer, baritone; Ramphis, Earl Waldo, bass, and The King, Leon Salathiel, bass.

Countess Olga Albani, Spanish soprano, will be featured with Rudy Vallee in the Sunshine Hour to be broadcast at 8 o'clock through WRC.

The Seibering Singers program for tonight has been arranged in the following order: "Mother," quartet; "On Wings of Song," tenor solo, James Melton; a piano solo by Frank Black; "Trees," quartet; "When," tenor solo, James Melton; "Melody," by former Vice President Dawes, singing, violins, and "Hallelujah" from "Hit the Deck," quartet.

Oliver Smith, tenor, will appear in the half hour from 9:30 to 10 o'clock, offering "The Dream" from "Manon," and "L'Amour, Toujours l'Amour."

Walter T. Holt and his Nordica Mandolin and Guitar Club will be presented at 7:31 o'clock from the studios of Station WRC.

There are two band concerts scheduled from WRC today—the United States Marine Band, under Capt. Taylor Branson, at 9 o'clock this morning, and the United States Army Band, directed by Capt. William J. Stannard, at 4 o'clock.

Frederic William Wile will discuss "The Political Situation in Washington Tonight" at 8:15 o'clock from the studios of Station WMAL.

"Around the Samovar" at 9:30 o'clock will be gathered Zinaida Nicolina, Eliena Kazenova, Eli Spivak and Peter Biljo's Balalaika Orchestra. Their all-Russian program will be heard through WMAL.

A local program from WMAL at 7:30 o'clock will be Gude's Garden of Melodies.

Morning programs include Ida Bailey Allen, of the Radio Home-Makers Club, broadcasting recipes and general information on cookery, and Phil Cook during the Old Witch program at 11 o'clock.

Pauline Jennings, soprano, will be heard in a short recital this afternoon at 4 o'clock from WOL. Some of her numbers are "There Are Birds in the Valley," by Liza Lehmann; "Mattinata," by Tosti," and Cadman's "Dream Tryst."

Estelle Wentworth has arranged a half hour of music from Gounod's opera, "Faust."

A new feature from WOL is the Cowsill instrumental program—Muriel, Gladys and Gertrude Cowsill, under the direction of Gertrude Lyons. Mrs. Lyons will entertain listeners with a half-hour recital at 3 o'clock.

"Breakfast Brevities" from The Washington Post will be one of the opening features from the station.

DIAL FLASHES

By ROBERT D. HEINL

THE Columbia Broadcasting System at an early date will open offices in Washington, so as to be more fittingly represented in the National Capital. This will take the form of a suite in one of the newer office buildings in the city, and very likely will require considerable additional space, inasmuch as elaborate broadcasting studios of the modern type will be included in the layout.

Here the principal Columbia features will be staged in the future without using the studio facilities offered by Station WMAL, which will continue to broadcast Columbia programs as usual.

William S. Paley, the 28-year-old president of Columbia, who had luncheon with President Hoover, and Sam Pickard, vice president of Columbia, both of New York, and Frederic William Wile spent a good portion of yesterday working out plans for the new Washington headquarters. It is believed this is only the beginning of a number of bigger things Columbia expects to do here.

Paley having luncheon at the White House and President Hoover recently having delivered a speech in the Columbia dedicatory program seems to indicate considerable encouragement by the administration to the newer of the two chains.

Dissipating dire rumors regarding his health and that a serious operation might be necessary, Sam Pickard, who has suffered some inconvenience since he crashed with his plane after having been shot down in the war by a German aviator, reported that he had just been examined by a prominent specialist and pronounced O. K. He said he had never felt better than now.

As evidence of how closely the two chains are watching each other, immediately following the National Broadcasting Co.'s announcement that they were going to broadcast the midnight Christmas mass of Sacred Heart of upper Sixteenth street nationally, came a bulletin that Columbia would carry the festival service at 11 o'clock on Christmas morning from the Washington Cathedral over a coast-to-coast hookup.

It is nevertheless a high compliment that both chains, seeking to put the best foot forward with the finest Christmas services, and with all the churches in the United States to choose from, should select two from Washington.

The premiere broadcast of Giacomo Puccini's opera, "La Tosca," will be heard over WRC Saturday night at 7 o'clock. "La Tosca" will be the second in a series of broadcasts of Puccini operas which have never been heard on the air. The musical director for the radio presentation will be Gennaro Papi. Soloists will be Frances Alda, soprano; Mario Chamlee, tenor, and Pasquale Amato, barytone.

The orchestra, under the direction of Papi, will comprise 50 musicians. The operalogue will be narrated by Alois Havrilla.

Things moved fast in radio legislation this week, as does everything else connected with radio. Anticipating the consideration of the radio bill in Congress, Representative Wallace White, of Maine, its sponsor, prepared a powerful speech, but before he could deliver it the House passed the bill. An hour or so later, following a brief discussion, the Senate followed suit.

ALTHOUGH 30 sets of headphones have been donated to the Naval Hospital, twice that many are needed if all the boys are to have a chance to participate in the Christmas music and holiday offerings on the radio. There are loud speakers in certain parts of the institution, but for the bedridden patients and in wards where silence is imperative, it is necessary to use headphones.

Those who are fond of Mexican music should try to tune in on the Mexican players tonight—or any Thursday night—at Station WOAI, San Antonio. They are the real thing, and broadcast in two periods, from 11 to 11:30 o'clock, our time, and from 11:45 to 12:15 midnight.

Station WOAI broadcasts on a frequency of 1,190 kilocycles (252 meters) and comes in just below WCAU, Philadelphia, 1,170 kilocycles (256 meters) and WHAM, Rochester, 1,150 kilocycles (260 meters).

A NEW station policy was revealed at 2:15 yesterday morning when the announcer at Station WTMJ, at Milwaukee, in response to a request that "Blue" Emil, the organist, play a wedding march, said:

"We do not play wedding marches. We think they ought to be withheld for such occasions as weddings, and just don't do it. Instead I will have Emil play, 'I Love You Truly.'"

From the Shrine jubilee, via KMOX, St. Louis:

First blackface—"I raised my dog under a mattress."

Second blackface—"What did you do that for?"

First blackface—"So I could have one of those kinds of dogs that is two dogs long and a half a dog high. Also, my dog has ten legs."

Second blackface—"No dog ever had ten legs."

First blackface—Mine has, all right. It has two hind legs and two fore (four) legs, that's eight legs, and two legs makes ten legs."

"Parking With Peggy"

"And now Billy and Sally have broken off again. They couldn't agree which loved the other most."

TODAY'S WOMEN

By EARL MINDERMAN

DECEMBER 19.

MINNIE MADDERN FISKE, the famous star of the American stage, was born this day, 1865. Probably her most noted role was that of Becky Sharp. Her most noted plays include "Mary of Magdala," "Leah Kleschna," "Madame Sand," "Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary," and "The Rivals." She became a star at the age of 15. Mme. Fiske has done much to popularize Ibsen in America.

The author of the widely read book, "Pollyanna," Eleanor H. Porter, was born this day, 1868. She died in 1920. Her works were unusually popular and include "Sister Sue," "Mary-Marie," "Dawn," "Oh, Money, Money," "The Road to Understanding," "Just David," Pollyanna Grows Up," "Cross-Currents," and "The Story of Mexico."

Other noted women born this day include Mary Ashton Livermore, American reformer, 1821; Sadie Martinot, actress, 1861, and Elizabeth O. Pechand, entomologist, 1885.

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DAILY RADIO PROGRAMS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19.

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(Eastern Standard Time.)

NAA—Arlington.
(435 Meters, 699 Kilocycles.)

10:05 a. m., 3:45 and 10:05 p. m.—Weather Reports.

WOL—American Broadcasting Co.
(229 Meters, 1,310 Kilocycles.)

7:30 a. m.—Reveille.
7:35 a. m.—Musical Clock.
8:00 a. m.—Birthdays: A Thought for the Day.
8:15 a. m.—Breakfast Brevities from The Washington Post.
8:25 a. m.—Musical Clock, continued.
10:00 a. m.—"The Christmas Dinner," by Peggy Clarke.
10:20 a. m.—Something for Everybody.
11:00 a. m.—Helpful Hints to Parents.
11:30 a. m.—Half Hour with Famous Composers.
12:00 (noon)—Luncheon Music.
12:30 p. m.—Paul D. Gable, Organist, First Congregational Church.
1:00 p. m.—Luncheon Music, continued.
3:00 p. m.—Gertrude Lyons, lyric soprano.
3:30 p. m.—Studio Program.
4:00 p. m.—Pauline Jennings, soprano; Gretchen Hood, accompanist.
4:15 p. m.—Studio Program.
4:30 p. m.—Naval Hospital Request Program.
5:00 p. m.—Tea Time.
5:30 p. m.—Racing Results.
6:00 p. m.—What's on the Air Tonight.
6:05 p. m.—Cowsill Instrumentalists, Muriel, Gladys, Gertrude, presented by Gertrude Lyons.
6:20 p. m.—Louis Rothschild, Better Business Bureau.
6:30 p. m.—Estelle Wentworth Studio Recital.
7:00 p. m.—Jimmie Harbison.
7:30 p. m.—Late News Flashes.

WRC—National Broadcasting Co.
(316 Meters, 950 Kilocycles.)

6:45 a. m.—Tower Health Exercises.
8:00 a. m.—On the 8:15.
8:15 a. m.—Morning Devotions.
8:30 a. m.—Cheerio.
9:00 a. m.—United States Marine Band, Capt. Taylor Branson, leader, from Marine Barracks.
10:00 a. m.—Cunningham's Musicale.
10:15 a. m.—Hits and Bits.
10:45 a. m.—National Home Hour, Betty Crocker.
11:00 a. m.—"Your Child," by Grace Abbott.
11:15 a. m.—Radio Household Institute.
11:45 a. m.—"Timely Topics in Housekeeping," by Katherine Fisher.
12:00 (noon)—Farm Flashes.
12:10 p. m.—Sunshine Carolers and Selma Kline, soprano.
1:00 p. m.—National Farm and Home Hour.
2:00 p. m.—Talk by Louis Rothschild, director of the Better Business Bureau.
2:15 p. m.—"The Christmas Tree Tradition," by E. A. Connell.
2:30 p. m.—The Melody Three.
3:15 p. m.—"The Magic of Speech," by Nida Sutton.
3:30 p. m.—La Forge-Berumen Musicale.
4:00 p. m.—United States Army Band, Capt. William J. Stannard, leader, from Washington Barracks.
5:00 p. m.—Radio-Keith-Orpheum Hour.
5:30 p. m.—The Lady Next Door.
5:55 p. m.—"The Wakefield Memorial," by A. G. Mercer.
6:00 p. m.—Black and Gold Room Orchestra.
7:00 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:15 p. m.—"America's Foreign Policy during the Last Year," by Hamilton Fish Armstrong, editor.
7:30 p. m.—Correct Time.
7:31 p. m.—Nordica Mandolin and Guitar Club, under the direction of Walter T. Holt.
8:00 p. m.—Fleischmann Sunshine Hour.
9:00 p. m.—Seibering Singers.
9:30 p. m.—Jack Frost Melody Moments.
10:00 p. m.—Victor Program.
11:00 p. m.—U. S. Weather Forecast.
11:01-11:58 p. m.—National Grand Opera Company, "Aida."

WMAL—Washington Radio Forum.
(475.9 Meters, 630 Kilocycles.)

9:30 a. m.—Just a Little More of Something Else.
10:00 a. m.—Radio Homemakers, Ida Bailey Allen.
10:30 a. m.—Busy Fingers.
10:45 a. m.—Complexion Beauty.
11:00 a. m.—Old Witch Ammonia Program, with Phil Cook.
11:15 a. m.—The Sewing Circle.
11:30 a. m.—Joe Barry Beauty Talk.
11:45 a. m.—Columbia Noon Day Club.
12:30 p. m.—Yoeng's Restaurant Orchestra.
1:30 p. m.—Harold Stern and His Ambassador Orchestra.
2:00 p. m.—Patterns in Prints.
3:00 p. m.—Columbia Ensemble.
3:30 p. m.—St. Louis Symphony Orchestra.
4:00 p. m.—The Aztecs.
5:00 p. m.—Anne Leaf at the Organ.
5:30 p. m.—"Improving Your Radio Reception," by Cisco M. Hunt.
5:40 p. m.—Frank W. Young, pianist.
5:45 p. m.—People's Family Circle.
6:00 p. m.—Correct Time.
6:01 p. m.—Flashes.
6:15 p. m.—"Science News of the Week."
6:30 p. m.—Civic Repertory Plays, Eva Le Gallienne.
7:00 p. m.—Christmas Carols, sung by the pupils of Jefferson School, Alexandria, Va.
7:20 p. m.—Yoemans and McClure, novelty entertainers.
7:30 p. m.—Garden of Melodies.
8:00 p. m.—Time.
8:00 p. m.—Bernhard Levitow and Commodore Ensemble.
8:15 p. m.—"The Political Situation in Washington Tonight," by Frederic William Wile.
8:30 p. m.—Manhattan Moods.
9:00 p. m.—True Detective Mysteries.
9:30 p. m.—Around the Samovar.
10:00 p. m.—To be announced.
10:30 p. m.—Senator Daniel O. Hastings, of Delaware, "The Senate and the Constitution."
11:00 p. m.—Dream Boat.
11:30 p. m.-midnight—Hotel Paramount Orchestra.

WJSV—Independent Publishing Co.
(205 Meters, 1,400 Kilocycles.)

8:00 a. m.—"Down South" Musical Greeting.
8:06 a. m.—Radio Log.
8:10 a. m.—Grandfather's Clock.
8:15 a. m.—Weather Report.
8:30 a. m.—Flying Weather Report.
8:40 a. m.—Virginia Dye's Menu for the Day.
8:50 a. m.—Musical Program.
9:00 a. m.—Mammy Chloe's Secret Recipes.
9:20 a. m.—Just Folks.
9:30 a. m.—What the Well-Dressed Woman Is Wearing.
9:45 a. m.—Barbara Gould's Beauty Talk.
10:00 a. m.—Musical Sign-Off.
11:30 a. m.—The National Farm News.
11:40 p. m.—Current Events.
11:45 a. m.—Johnnie and Alice.
12:00 (noon)—Correct Time.
12:15 p. m.—Daily Market Reports.
12:20 p. m.—Farm Chat by David Martin.
12:45 p. m.—Is Your Life Safe?
1:00 p. m.—Musical Sign-Off.
3:00 p. m.—Afternoon Musicale.
3:30 p. m.—Little Hour of "Whoopee" with Art Stone, the popular pianist, and David Martin, barytone.
4:30 p. m.—The Kiddie's Letters to Santa Claus.
5:30 p. m.—Musical Sign-Off.
6:30 p. m.—Dinner Music.
7:30 p. m.—Children's Period, featuring William H. Burton.
8:00 p. m.—Joseph Dimeglio, operatic tenor.
8:15 p. m.—Kohalo Melody Boys.
8:30 p. m.—Horace Sidoti, barytone.
8:45 p. m.—Mrs. Gretchen Jerebach, soprano.
9:00—"Tripoli Days and Knights."
9:15 p. m.—Ken Coffman and His Piano Accordion.
9:30 p. m.—The Baiser Sisters.
9:45 p. m.—Jeanpetta Le Van, pianist.
10:00 p. m.—Jewel Downs Studio Presentation.
10:30 p. m.—Walter T. Holt Presentation of the Nordica Mandolin and Guitar Club.
11:00 p. m.—Good Night.

CHAIN STATIONS.
(Associated Press.)

Programs in Eastern standard time. All time p. m. unless otherwise indicated.

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454.3—WEAF New York—660 (NBC Chain).
6:00—Black and Gold Room Dinner Orchestra.
7:00—Midweek Hymn Sing, Mixed Quartet.
7:30—Comfort Music, String Quartet.
8:00—Sunshine Hour, Countess Albani and Rudy Vallee Orchestra.
9:00—Singers.
9:30—Melody Moments, Steffy Goldner and Oliver Smith and Orchestra.
10:00—Recorders' Program.
11:00—Grand Opera.
12:00—Hal Kemp's Orchestra in an Hour of Dance Music.

348.6—WABC New York—860 (CBS Chain).
6:30—Plays.
7:00—Orchestra: Paul Specht's Orchestra.
7:30—Levitow Ensemble.
8:15—Frederic W. Wile.
8:30—Moods.
9:00—Detective Mysteries.
9:30—Around the Samovar.
10:00—Music of the Air.
10:30—National Forum.
11:00—Dream Boat.
11:30—Hotel Orchestra.
12:00—Guy Lombardo's Orchestra: Midnight Organ Melodies.

394.5—WJZ New York—760 (NBC Chain).
6:00—Old Man Sunshine, Bob Pierce; Hotel Dance Orchestra.
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:15—Talk by Hamilton Fish Armstrong.
7:30—7-11's and Welcome Lewis, Contralto.
8:00—Beauty Serenade.
8:30—Sparkers, Sports Drama.
9:00—Lambert and Hillpot.
9:30—Concert Orchestra and Male Quartet.
10:00—Atwater Kent Midweek Hour.
11:00—Slumber Music, String Ensemble (1 hour).

EASTERN AND CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS.

272.6—WPG Atlantic City—1,100.
5:30—Organ Recital; News.
8:00—Gospel Hymns; Organ Recital.
9:00—Little Club Entertainers.
9:30—Reeves Bros.; Fox's Cubs.
10:15—Subway Boys; Pianologue.
10:45—Contralto; Dance Music (1¼ hrs.).

282.8—WBAL Baltimore—1,060.
7:00—The Marylanders.
11:00—Musical Program.
11:30—Organ Recital (30 minutes).

422.3—WOR Newark—710.
6:10—Santa; Sports; Uncle Don.
7:00—Dr. Payne; Orchestra; Talk.
8:00—Little Symphony and Soprano.
9:00—WOR Repertory; Rangers.
10:00—Red Lacquer and Jade.
10:30—Musical Cartones.
11:00—News; Dance; Moonbeams.

256.3—WCAU Philadelphia—1,170.
6:00—Melodies; News; Plays.
7:00—Baker Boys; Herman's Hits.
8:00—Ebony Inn; Fur Trappers.
9:30—Chicken Pickers.
10:00—U. of Pennsylvania.

379.5—WGY Schenectady—790.
6:00—Dinner Music; Talk.
7:00—Quaker State Boys.
7:30—WGY Agricultural Program.
11:00—Dance; Organ Recital (1 hour).

302.8—WBZ Springfield—990.
6:00—Markets; Dinner Music.
6:30—Melodies; Talk.
7:00—Melodeers.
7:30—Sally Briggs Ensemble.
11:00—News; Lomis Orchestra.

CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS.

428.3—WLW Cincinnati—700.
6:00—Hour of Orchestras.
7:00—C. of C. Talk; Tony.
7:30—Through the Jar.
9:00—Troupers (30 minutes).
10:00—The Hall-Fillmore's Band.
11:00—Melody Maids; Scrap Book.
11:30—Los Amigos.
12:00—Hotel Orchestra.
12:30a—Mansfield and Lee; Dance (1 hr.).

398.8—WCX-WJR Detroit—750.
6:00—Dinner Music; Orchestra.
7:00—Ensemble.
7:30—Cigar Makers.
11:00—News; Dance; Organ.
12:00—Hour of Dance Music.

405.2—WSB Atlanta—740.
7:00—Hour of Features.
12:00—Sheldon Organ Recital.

461.3—WSM Nashville—650.
7:00—Orchestra; Happy Cope.
7:30—Francis Craig's Orchestra.
11:00—Feature Program.
11:30—Minstrel Entertainer.

270.1—WBVA Richmond—1,110.
5:30—Orchestra (1½ hours).
7:00—Band; Current Events.

Phil Cook's Old Witch
Radio Entertainment

:00 Each ... ning
Just Give ...

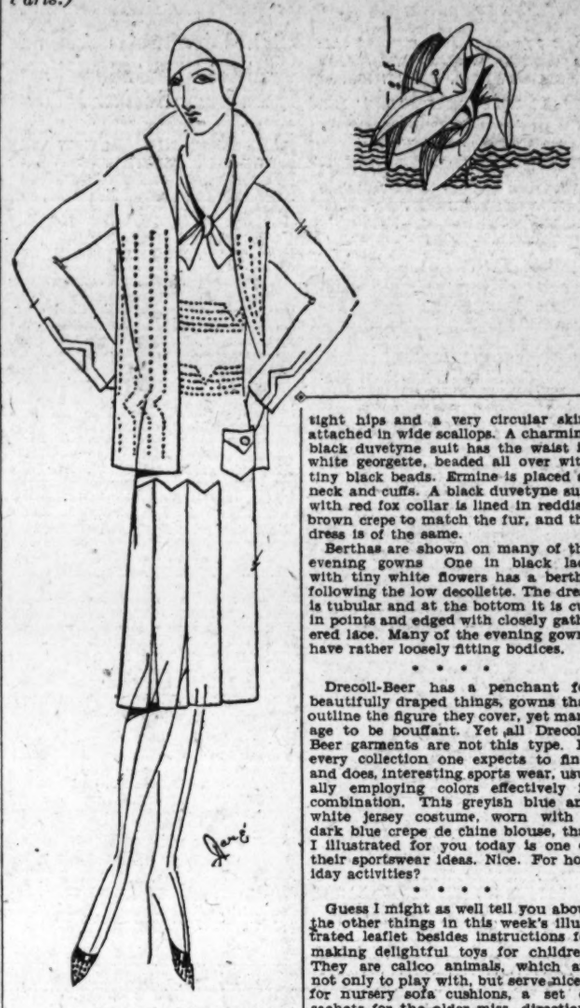
Baby Mine

MAW SAYS HAVING AN AIM IN LIFE WON'T DO ME ANY GOOD UNLESS I KNOW WHEN TO SHOOT

-DAN-

Art INTERPRETS the MODE

This grey-blue and white jersey costume is worn with a dark blue crepe de chine blouse. (Courtesy of Drecoll-Beer, Paris.)



Paris, Dec. 18.

THE aristocratic house of Irfe is showing an interesting line of angora jersey sport suits, which feature the popular two-tone effect, such as beige and brown or two shades of green. Skirts are laid in double pleats, with the dark shade outside opening on to the lighter shade. The blouse is in the lighter color, with an applied motif in the dark. The sports dresses are short; all others are long. Many models have belts, but others are bloused.

The new cut-out embroidery on velvet is shown on the side panels of a grey crepe de chine gown, with collar and cuffs in the same.

A coat in black frappe velvet has a circular flare on one side edged in white fox, with the same fur on the collar and running up the sleeves to satin jumper is worn over it, the elbow. The dress worn with it has a circular skirt of black and a white

A charming dress is in black panne velvet and has a close fitting bodice, tight hips and a very circular skirt attached in wide scallops. A charming black duvetyne suit has the waist in white georgette, beaded all over with tiny black beads. Ermine is placed at neck and cuffs. A black duvetyne suit with red fox collar is lined in reddish brown crepe to match the fur, and the dress is of the same.

Berthas are shown on many of the evening gowns. One in black lace with tiny white flowers has a bertha following the low decollette. The dress is tubular and at the bottom it is cut in points and edged with closely gathered lace. Many of the evening gowns have rather loosely fitting bodices.

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Drecoll-Beer has a penchant for beautifully draped things, gowns that outline the figure they cover, yet manage to be bouffant. Yet all Drecoll-Beer garments are not this type. In every collection one expects to find, and does, interesting sports wear, usually employing colors effectively in combination. This greyish blue and white jersey costume, worn with a dark blue crepe de chine blouse, that I illustrated for you today is one of their sportswear ideas. Nice. For holiday activities?

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Guess I might as well tell you about the other things in this week's illustrated leaflet besides instructions for making delightful toys for children. They are calico animals, which are not only to play with, but serve nicely for nursery sofa cushions, a set of sachets for the older miss, directions for making surprise sabots such as European children find full of toys and candy instead of the Christmas stockings, and use afterward for bedroom slippers, and oh, dear, lots of other things! Better send your stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Dare department of The Washington Post for this leaflet.

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It is worth mentioning that platinum paillettes have been brought out and their vogue has been immediate.

For evening wear we see a great many bodices of lame, combined with a skirt of tulle, net, chiffon or lace, plain or spangled.

The high waist-line, curved in definitely, and the popularity of basques and skirt fullness have naturally brought in the casque, and these made up in lame cloth are really very lovely.

Then there is the weekly Dare fashion letter in The Post each Sunday. Be sure to look for it.

Au revoir!

WORK ON BRIDGE

Misplayed Hands I Have Met.

THE above hand was played in a game of Auction Bridge. The Dealer started by bidding two Hearts. West bid Clubs, North helped the Hearts, and the hand was bid up to four Hearts, at which contract South was the Declarer.

At Contract Bridge South should bid two Hearts, West three Clubs and North four Hearts, so the final bid would be the same, and there would be no difference in the play.

West opened with the King of Clubs; it won, East playing the Six. Then West lead a second Club which South trumped. South led a small trump, winning in dummy; and a second round of trumps, winning in closed hand. He then led a small Spade and when West played the Nine, finessed the Ten in dummy. Another trump from dummy, won by South; another Spade from South won a second finesse; then the Ace of Spades led from dummy, dropping the King, and a thirteenth Spade on which closed hand discarded a small Diamond. A Diamond lead from dummy resulted in the loss of closed hand's King, but the Declarer nevertheless made four-odd and game.

The Correct Play.

East, with five Clubs and two in dummy, and his partner a Club bidder, could assume that West led from at least five Clubs and that South had not more than one. East also could have assumed that Declarer, as soon as he obtained the lead, would draw trumps and try two Spade finesses, and if he had three Spades he could discard a losing Diamond from the South hand on dummy's fourth Spade. To break up that offensive, East should have won his partner's Club King with the Ace and led the Queen of Diamonds. Had East done this, game would have been saved.

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Band Concert

U. S. Soldiers' Home Band Orchestra.
Stanley Hall, 5.30 o'Clock.

March, "The False Alarm".....Lincoln
Overture, "Jolly Fellows".....Suppe
Suite de ballet, "Gitannilla," No. 1.....Lacome
(1) "Les Romani."
(2) "Sous les Etoiles."
Scenes from musical comedy, "Chu Chin Chow".....Norris
Fox trot popular, "Weary River".....Silvers
Waltz from operetta, "Baron Trenck".....Albini
Finale, "In a Kitchenette".....Burke
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

Tune in Tuesday, Thursday on WJSV, 6:30 to 7 P. M.
WEATHER-LOX
Hickman-Bryant Corp., Inc.
2228 Penna. Ave. S. E. Lincoln 7291

Condensed Milk Dainties

HEAR Ida Bailey Allen, President of the National Radio Home-Makers Club, broadcast this recipe for The American Sugar Refining Co. at 10 o'clock this morning over Station WMAL.

"Sweeten it with Domino"
American Sugar Refining Company

A French Gown Imported by the Grey Shops---

The inimitable handwork of the old world—crepe de chine—hand-scalloped—hand-embroidered—
A gift to please a fastidious woman!

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Grey Shops—Second Floor

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A lovely stocking—the new Gold Stripe with lace clock—$2.95 pair

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That You'll Be Proud to Raise Yourself!

Every umbrella in this holiday selection was chosen with the greatest care. They are so beautiful that you won't be blamed if at the last moment you weaken and present it to yourself.

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Special $35

Tapestry or Jacquard Velour Coverings—7 Patterns to Choose From.

Spring-Filled Seat and Back.

Hard Wood Frame.

Upholstered Arm Rests.

Here's a Christmas gift that will give pleasure and comfort to every member of the family long after this extremely low price of $35 is forgotten!

A handsome, deep-seated chair at a price seldom equaled. Its construction, woods, springs, upholstering are all of the kind that makes for long, satisfactory service.

A Small Deposit and Additional Payments Under the Palais Royal Club Plan Delivers this Chair to your Living Room for Cristmas!

PALAIS ROYAL—Fourth Floor

WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER — *Big-Hearted Bibbs*

WINNIE - WHAT DO YOU THINK? THE BOSS JUST ASKED ME WHAT I WANTED FOR CHRISTMAS!!
OH YES?? AND WHAT DID YOU TELL HIM?
I TOLD HIM A FUR COAT!!
OH MY GOSH!
WHEW!! I ASKED THE BOSS TO FIND OUT WHAT DOT WANTED FOR CHRISTMAG, BUT I NEVER THOUGHT SHE'D TELL HIM THAT!!
SAY, YOU GOT ME IN A FINE MESS! MISS SPECK WANTS A FUR COAT FOR CHRISTMAS, BUT SHE THINKS THAT I'M GOING TO GET IT FOR HER!!
WELL, DON'T TELL ME YOUR TROUBLES
HA-HA-HA-HA-
Blaine

Early Copy Is an Asset to the Advertiser

BANK DIRECTORS TO PAY $250 FINE

Two Others on City Trust Company Board Are Given Suspended Sentences.

CASE IS CLOSED BY JURY

New York, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The last of the cases in New York County courts arising out of the $5,000,000 failure of the City Trust Co. last February were disposed of today.

Anthony Di Paola, who was treasurer and cashier of the City Trust Co., and Frederico Ferrari, Salvatore Soraci and Leonard Rose, directors, all four charged with having given to the State banking department falsified reports on the condition of the company, pleaded guilty before Justice Arthur S. Tompkins today.

On the recommendation of District Attorney Joab H. Banton, who said they had greatly aided in the State's investigation and in the trial and conviction of Frank H. Warder, former State banking superintendent, on a bribery charge, De Paola and Ferrari were given suspended sentences.

After Mr. Banton recommended clemency for Soraci and Rose, and said he believed they had acted in good faith and had only carried out the orders of Di Paola and the late F. M. Ferrari, who was head of City Trust, they were fined $250 each.

At the same time, John Burlinson, foreman of the extraordinary grand jury investigating the City Trust crash, reported to Justice Tompkins that no additional indictments had been found against former General Sessions Judge Francis X. Mancuso and directors of the company.

Mancuso, who had been chairman of the board of City Trust, and several of the directors were charged in indictments returned by the grand jury some time ago with misdemeanors in connection with the City Trus crash. These indictments, however, were quashed by Justice Tompkins November 21. Mancuso, while under investigation by the bar for his activities in connection with the bankrupt firm, resigned from the bench.

Unless the appellate court should sustain an appeal made by the district attorney against Justice Tompkins' action in quashing the indictments, proceedings against Mancuso and the other directors will be dropped.

Warder, found guilty by a jury November 5 of having accepted from F. M. Ferrari a $10,000 bribe to forego examination of the company, has been sentenced to from five to ten years in Sing Sing.

Bandits Get $6,000, Lock Seven in Vault

Stafford, Kans., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Two men today robbed the Farmers' National Bank here of approximately $6,000 and escaped after locking seven persons in the vault.

Hundreds to Sing Carols At Yuletide Tree Lighting

School Children Answer Call With Enthusiasm and Record-Breaking Christmas Celebration in Sherman Square Tuesday Night Is Forecast.

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BRIGHTER COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS EDITOR,
THE WASHINGTON POST:

Please enter the undersigned in the Individual Home Brighter Community Contest of the Electric League and The Washington Post. I agree to comply with the rules set forth and to abide by the decision of the judges.

NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

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Response to the carol-call sent out by Miss Sibyl Baker, director of the Community Center department of the public schools, has been such that the program in connection with the lighting of the national Christmas tree in Sherman square next Tuesday night at 6 o'clock is expected to surpass all other such celebrations.

The ceremony will be broadcast over the National Broadcasting Co. system beginning at 5:45 o'clock. Ray Lyman Wilbur, Secretary of the Interior, will deliver the only address.

Hundreds of school children of the District are expected to be present to sing carols. They will be under the leadership of Dr. Edwin N. C. Barnes, music director of the public schools, aided by Mrs. Joseph M. Stoddard and Mrs. Gertrude Lyons.

President Hoover is to turn the switch lighting the national tree at 6 o'clock, his act to be a signal for lighting of many community trees and home decorations. Girl Scouts will decorate the tree in Sherman square next Monday afternoon with L. T. Souder, J. W. Reese and Robert Smith of the Electric League, handling the lighting arrangements. Lieut. Col. U. S. Grant 3d and Ovid Butler, of the American Forestry Association, will aid in decorating the tree, so that the tree itself will be protected from any ill-effects during the ceremonies.

Recent additions to the committee in charge of the program at the national tree and the musical numbers included in it are Mrs. E. B. Reid, of the Girl Scouts; Dr. Oscar M. White, Chamber of Commerce; Claude Owen, of the Board of Trade; Gen. Anton Stephan, of the Merchants and Manufacturers Association; Miss Ethel Summy, American Association of University Women; Mrs. Arthur J. Seaton, Federation of Women's Clubs, and Dr. George C. Havenner, of the Federation of Citizens Associations.

All this celebration at the national tree will be the forerunner of the "Brighter Community Christmas" program sponsored by The Washington Post and the Electric League, extending from Christmas Eve until January 5. Prizes are offered for the best outdoor lighting effects on homes and a silver loving cup to the community having the best general display of outdoor decorations.

All entries for the prizes in this contest must be received by either The Washington Post or the Electric League not later than Christmas Day, with the final entry blank to be published in The Post on Christmas Eve. Judges will visit only homes registered in the contest.

Announcement of the prize list and of the judges will be made in a short time, and all residents of the Capital will want to compete in an effort to win honors for their homes and the community in which they live.

Ousted Chicago School Head Wins Court Fight

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—William McAndrew, former superintendent of schools, ousted following Mayor William Hale Thompson's last election campaign in which Thompson and his advisers charged McAndrew with permitting British propaganda in textbooks used here, today won his long fight for vindication. Judge Hugo Pam ruled that he "had not been guilty of acts of insubordination" as charged by the school board when it ousted him in March, 1928.

As the result of the decision, McAndrew is in position to sue the city for approximately $6,000 back pay, but through counsel announced he would take no such action "seeking merely vindication through the hearing."

Reichstag Halts Sale of Art Piece

Work of Hans Memling of Fifteenth Century Will Be Kept in Germany.

Berlin, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The Reichstag today virtually vetoed the sale of a fifteenth century altar piece by Hans Memling which now is in Luebeck Cathedral. It was reported that an unnamed American buyer had offered 7,000,000 marks (about $1,680,000).

In the course of discussion of extension of the law on exportation of art works the Reichstag adopted an urgency motion rescinding the existing exemptions whereby exportation is permitted in certain cases for financial considerations. It was decided to submit a list of nationally protected art works to a careful revision.

Hans Memling was a Flemish painter of Bruges who died about 1494. Among his most famous works are "Shrine of St. Ursula," "Seven Griefs of Mary" and "Seven Joys of Mary." The Lusebeck altar piece was one of his later works and is attributed to the year 1491. It has eight wings depicting the crucifixion and scenes from the Passion Play of 1491.

Memling also did several portraits, one of which at least has found its way to America and is in the Altman collection.

Farm Crops' Value Gains.
(Associated Press.)

This year's crops of the American farmer were worth $85,000,000 more than last year's harvest despite a production decrease of 4.8 per cent. The crop reporting board of the Department of Agriculture yesterday estimated that the value of 50 leading crops was $8,580,528,000, compared with $8,495,788,000 last year.

WHOZIT?

("Whozit?" is a test of your knowledge of history and current events. The statements below describe a character whom you should be able to identify. Match your knowledge and memory against those of your friends.)

1. He was an American.
2. He served with distinction as a naval officer in the War of 1812.
3. Later he commanded an American naval force operating in the Mediterranean and dictated a treaty with the Dey of Algiers guaranteeing protection of American commerce.
4. He was killed in a duel with another naval officer in 1820.

Answer to yesterday: Benvenuto Cellini.

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Judge Takes McCormick Case Under Advisement

Santa Barbara, Calif., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Superior Judge William G. Dehy tonight took under advisement Mrs. Katherine McCormick's suit for dismissal of Dr. Edward J. Kempf, New York psychoanalyst, as personal physician of her incompetent multimillionaire husband, Stanley McCormick, and of his brother and sister, Harold F. McCormick and Mrs. Anita McCormick Blaine, as coguardians.

Playwright Indicted In Drama Stock Sale

New York, Dec 18 (A.P.).—Charges of grand larceny brought against Irving Kaye Davis, 29-year-old playwright, by two persons who backed his play "Veils" and lost money, were dismissed today. He was immediately rearrested under an indictment accusing him of making false statement to sell stock in a play.

The grand jury indictment charged that Davis, to effect stock sales, falsely asserted that former Gov. Alfred E. Smith and John J. Raskob were interested in the success of his play and that Lee Shubert, theatrical manager, and Adolph Zukor, motion picture magnate, wanted to invest in it.

Last of Poultry Trust Defendants Sentenced

New York, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The last of the 69 individuals and corporations convicted of conspiracy in restraint of trade, in connection with the operations of the Greater New York Live Poultry Chamber of Commerce, were sentenced today.

Thus ended the long-drawn-out "poultry trust" case, trial of which began early in October with 90 defendants. Federal Judge John C. Knox imposed 21 jail sentences totaling more than two years, 47 suspended jail sentences adding up to more than nine years, and seven suspended sentences, and set aside one verdict. He assessed fines totaling $34,500 and imposed $6,250 more in suspended fines.

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The Fairfield, arm chair in walnut with choice of covers, $45.

End Table in mahogany with oval pie-crust top, $28.

The Lafayette, walnut finish frame and in linen or tapestry cover, $125.

The Pendley. A Duncan Phyfe sofa table in mahogany, $150.

Solid Mahogany tray table is 21" high and marked $35.

Governor Winthrop desk, in mahogany or maple, $120.

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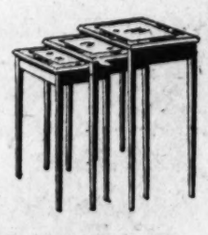
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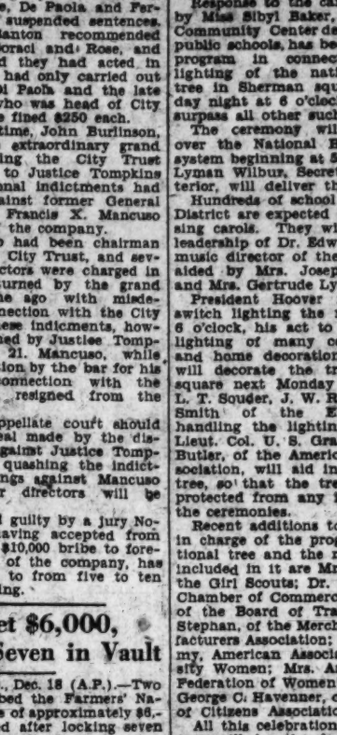
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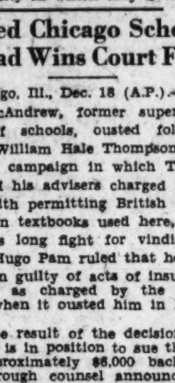
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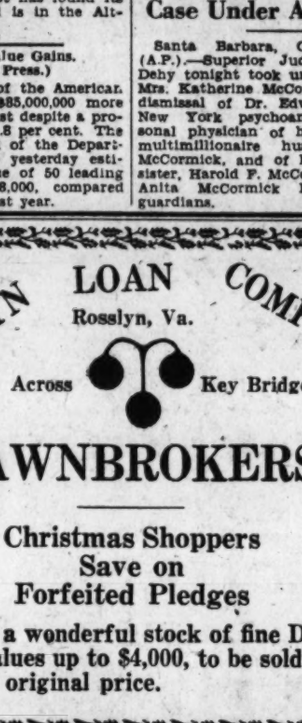
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Loop Shoplifter, Arrested by Store Detective, Tries to Shoot It Out.

FORMER CONVICT, CLAIM

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—One man was killed, two others were wounded and scores of Christmas shoppers were thrown into panic today as a shoplifter in the Boston store, busy Loop establishment, attempted to shoot his way to freedom.

Douglas Richeson, an executive of the store, lost his life as he attempted to stay the shoplifter's flight. The wounded men were Joseph Freeman, private detective, and John Concannon, chief inspector for the store.

The shoplifter gave the name of J. E. Grant, 57, and police said he was an ex-convict notorious for wielding a gun at the slightest provocation. They said he served terms in Joliet, Ill., Auburn, N. Y., and Chester, Ill., penitentiaries.

The fierce struggle occurred on the sixth floor of the store in space devoted to executive offices. The shots were heard on several floors. One shopper ran downstairs shouting that a man had been murdered. Women clerks and shoppers screamed and dashed for cover behind counters. Pandemonium continued for several moments and store service became demoralized.

Grant was finally overpowered by Leonard Knudsen and Matt Mandermach, policemen, who were purchasing Christmas presents on the sixth floor.

DE PRIEST IN HOUSE ADDRESS PLEADS FOR NEGROES OF U. S.

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"I wish to God," he said, "that they were equally solicitous for the welfare of the black people of America."

In the members' gallery while he spoke were De Priest's wife; Mrs. Garnet Wilkinson, wife of the assistant superintendent in charge of Washington's colored schools, and Morris Lewis, De Priest's secretary.

De Priest, the first Negro to occupy a seat in Congress since the time of Representative White (Republican), of North Carolina, who left the House in 1901, chose to make his speech from the well in front of Speaker Longworth's dais. He spoke extemporaneously and in a voice, which, though plain to some, made others strain to hear.

At the outset, De Priest said he was pleased by the suggestion of Representative Fish (Republican), of New York, that one or two members of the commission to be sent to Haiti be selected from the Negro race. At the same time, he said, he was not surprised that certain members objected to this plan.

"The Haitian people," he said, "consist of about two and a half million people and about 125,000 or 130,000 belong to the educated class, and what the people of America wish is that the opinion of the great mass of the common people be ascertained, so that the President can more correctly carry out the program of America in wishing to help these people become capable of self government.

Cites U. S. Negro Rights.

"I appreciate also the great work that has been accomplished since we have occupied the country since the year 1915, along general improvements in every respect, and I am very glad to see the gentlemen on the minority side of this House so very solicitous about the conditions of the black people of Haiti.

"I wish to God they were equally solicitous about the black people of America. We in America would like in some of the States of this country to have the right of self-determination also.

"The people of Haiti should have the right of self-determination under the broad principles laid down by our Constitution and under the theory adopted during or about the time of the settlement of the World War, when every group of people in the world, it was stated, should have the right of self-determination.

"Should Apply to All."

"This should apply to Haiti and also to every other class of people that God's sun shines on, and I am glad to see the gentlemen on the minority side of the House converted to the right way of thinking for once in their lives, because I appreciate the condition of the black Americans, where they are denied the right of self-determination in almost every State south of the Mason and Dixon line, and I congratulate the gentlemen for starting in right in Haiti and conceding the common people the right of self-determination, and hope it will spread to every State in America and that we will all enjoy the same rights and privileges.

DePriest declared that Herbert Hoover was one of the best qualified Presidents this country has ever had, and his words brought applause from the Republican side of the chamber.

He expressed the hope that President Hoover would select an outstanding Negro to serve on the Haitian commission.

"I know of nothing," he continued, "that will instill more confidence in these black people down there than for them to know that they have one at least who can sympathize with them through bonds and ties of blood and kin."

Porter Resolution Adopted.

The Porter resolution authorizing creation of the commission was adopted without a record vote after a lively debate. The opposition was led by Representative Huddleston (Democrat), of Alabama, who charged that Haiti was being exploited by American interests.

When Representative Snell (Republican), New York, declared that, inasmuch as President Hoover had asked for the commission, Congress ought to give it to him. Minority Leader Garner sarcastically replied that if Congress is going to create all the commissions the President wants, it might as well appoint them all and then go home.

When Representative Fish suggested that a Negro or two be appointed to the commission, Representative Moore (Democrat), of Virginia, accused him of injecting the race issue into the debate.

The Senate is not expected to take up the resolution until after the Christmas recess.

Word was received in Washington yesterday that the 500 Marines who started to Haiti but who were halted at Guantanamo Bay by special orders when disturbances there ceased, will return to the United States at once, reaching their home stations by next Monday. They will return on the aircraft carrier Wright.

The Weather

TODAY'S SUN AND TIDE TABLE

		A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises	7:22	High tide	10:15	10:38
Sun sets	4:48	Low tide	4:42	4:49

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agri., Weather Bureau, Washington, Wednesday, Dec. 18—8 p. m.

Forecast—For the District of Columbia: Partly cloudy and much colder Thursday; Friday fair and colder; fresh to strong northwest winds.

For Maryland—Cloudy and much colder, preceded by rain in extreme east portion Thursday; Friday fair and colder; strong southwest, shifting to northwest winds.

For Virginia—Cloudy and much colder, preceded by rain in southeast portion Thursday; Friday fair and colder; strong southwest, shifting to northwest winds.

The disturbance that was over Arkansas Tuesday night is advancing rapidly northeastward, being central over western Pennsylvania with increasing intensity, Pittsburgh, 29.44 inches, with a trough extending south-southwestward to northwestern Florida. A high-pressure area of great extent is central over the northern Plains States and the northern Rocky Mountain region, Miles City, Mont., 30.98 inches, with an extension southward to the Gulf. During the last 24 hours rains have occurred in the North Pacific States, the Middle and East Gulf and Atlantic States, and in the Ohio and middle Mississippi Valleys, and snows have occurred in the Lake region and the upper Mississippi Valley. Temperatures have fallen decidedly in the Ohio and Mississippi Valleys, the Middle and West Gulf States, and the Lake region.

The outlook is for rain in New England and thence southward along the coast to Virginia, and for snow in the lower Lake region and the Appalachian region on Thursday. Elsewhere the weather will be somewhat overcast on Thursday and fair on Friday in the Washington forecast district. It will be colder in the lower Lake region, the Ohio Valley, and Tennessee, and portions of New England, and much colder in the Middle Atlantic and South Atlantic States on Thursday. It will be colder on Friday along the Atlantic coast.

Storm warnings are displayed on the Atlantic coast from the Virginia Capes to Eastport.

Local Weather Report.

Temperature—Midnight, 49; 2 a. m., 50; 4 a. m., 50; 6 a. m., 50; 8 a. m., 50; 10 a. m., 52; 12 noon, 53; 2 p. m., 53; 4 p. m., 53; 6 p. m., 54; 8 p. m., 54; 10 p. m., 54. Highest, 54; lowest, 49.

Relative humidity—8 a. m., 98; 2 p. m., 98; 8 p. m., 100. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), 52. Hours of sunshine, 0. Per cent of possible sunshine, 0.

Sunrise, 7:18; sunset, 4:46.

DEPARTURES FROM NORMAL.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1929, 546 degrees.

Excess of temperature since December 1, 1929, 37 degrees.

Deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1929, 2.16 inches.

Deficiency of precipitation since December 1, 1929, .54 inch.

Flying Weather Forecast.

Washington, D. C., to Long Island, N. Y.—Overcast, preceded by rain near Long Island Thursday; strong southwest shifting to northwest winds up to 1,000 feet and southwest gales at 5,000 feet.

Washington to Norfolk, Va.—Overcast, preceded by rain near Norfolk Thursday; strong southwest shifting to northwest winds up to 1,000 feet and southwest gales at 5,000 feet.

Washington, D. C., to Dayton, Ohio—Overcast with snow in and west of mountains Thursday; fresh to strong north and northwest winds up to 1,000 feet and southwest gales near Washington and fresh to strong north winds near Dayton at 5,000 feet.

Temperatures and Precipitation.

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended Wednesday, 8 p. m.:

	Highest Wed.	Lowest night	Tues. 8 p.m.	Wed.	Rainfall
Washington, D. C.	54	47	54		0.52
Asheville, N. C.	54	48	54		0.38
Atlanta, Ga.	62	52	44		0.18
Atlantic City, N. J.	52	44	50		0.14
Baltimore, Md.	52	44	52		0.62
Birmingham, Ala.	54	52	54		0.64
Bismarck, N. D.	10	—24	—16		....
Boston, Mass.	38	32	36		0.52
Buffalo, N. Y.	24	22	20		0.54
Chicago, Ill.	28	28	20		0.52
Cincinnati, Ohio	36	36	26		0.72
Cheyenne, Wyo.	12	10	8		*0.01
Cleveland, Ohio	28	28	28		0.38
Davenport, Iowa	22	14	6		....
Denver, Colo.	16	10	12		0.01
Des Moines, Iowa	8	8	2		0.09
Detroit, Mich.	26	26	20		0.84
Duluth, Minn.	2	—16	—8		....
El Paso, Tex.	44	36	38		....
Galveston, Tex.	48	44	36		0.24
Helena, Mont.	10	0	4		....
Indianapolis, Ind.	32	32	18		1.17
Jacksonville, Fla.	76	64	70		0.20
Kansas City, Mo.	12	8	8		0.12
Little Rock, Ark.	32	32	22		1.20
Los Angeles, Cal.	80	62	76		....
Louisville, Ky.	44	44	22		0.82
Marquette, Mich.	12	12	6		0.06
Memphis, Tenn.	36	36	28		0.47
Miami, Fla.	74	70	72		0.60
Mobile, Ala.	68	60	40		1.10
New Orleans, La.	66	62	40		0.04
New York, N. Y.	54	46	52		1.07
North Platte, Nebr.	14	—4	6		....
Omaha, Nebr.	6	—2	2		0.06
Philadelphia, Pa.	58	44	56		1.36
Phoenix, Ariz.	72	44	66		....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	48	32	28		0.01
Portland, Me.	28	22	26		0.36
Portland, Oreg.	42	40	40		1.02
S. Lake City, Utah	38	28	34		....
St. Louis, Mo.	28	16	18		0.42
St. Paul, Minn.	—2	—4	—4		0.01
San Antonio, Tex.	42	36	38		....
San Diego, Cal.	62	56	68		....
San Francisco, Cal.	60	52	58		....
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	28	18	20		....
Savannah, Ga.	74	60	64		0.46
Seattle, Wash.	48	42	44		0.02
Springfield, Ill.	38	28	14		0.54
Tampa, Fla.	76	66	68		0.14
Toledo, Ohio	28	20	20		0.64
Vicksburg, Miss.	44	44	28		0.60

59 MINERS' BODIES TAX CITY'S MORGUES

Blast Rescue Work Ceases as All Are Reported Accounted For.

FIVE COME OUT ALIVE

McAlester, Okla., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The bodies of 59 miners, some seared and broken by the violence of the explosion which yesterday made a tomb of the Old Town Mining Co. here, and some of the victims of afterdamp, the poisonous gas which follows such a blast, taxed morgues to the utmost tonight. Weary rescue workers for a time sought the bodies of two more men believed to be buried in debris and then were called out, leaving the mine deserted. Hugh Rice, owner and manager, announced that all men known to have been in the mine were accounted for.

Only five of the men who were in the workings had survived; two having fled to safety before the onrushing billows of smoke and gas, and three having been rescued from a chamber of the mine.

The rescue work was not without its casualties. Bob Rutherford, of McAlester, district mine inspector, was overcome by gas in the seventh west entry, but was revived. Tom Newton, volunteer rescue man, also suffered from the gas.

"The interior of the mine," said Miller Hay, State mine inspector, "was a pitiful sight. Bodies were in all postures. None of them showed signs of any death struggle. Their expressions revealed that they scarcely had gasped before they died. Some of the bodies were wrapped around the upright props. One was almost naked, with a cable, used in connection with his cap lamp, wrapped five times around an arm."

The bodies lay in rows in the chapels of two undertakers. Although most of them had been identified, the undertakers expressed belief that the identification was not authentic. A plan to draft convicts of the State penitentiary here to dig graves for the mass burial was contemplated.

Mrs. C. V. Shuman, of St. Louis, field representative of the American Red Cross, took charge of relief work today. A plea was circulated for a $20,000 relief fund.

Planes Fly to Siberia In Search for Eielson

Nome, Alaska, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Four planes took off from Teller, Alaska, today for North Cape, Siberia, to search for pilot Carl Ben Eielson and his mechanic, Earl Borland, missing since November 9.

Two of the planes returned to Teller after a short flight because of foggy weather.

ARREST OF BURKE IS PROMISED SOON

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sociated with "Egan's rats," of St. Louis, Roche said.

Gun No. 7580 was traced to Victor Thompson, of Elgin, Ill., who was understood to have bought it through P. Vonfrantzius, acting as a broker. Thompson was questioned once before on the ownership of machine guns. The guns originally belonged to a detective story publishing house of Chicago.

While the search for Burke centered here, police departments all over the Middle West were checking over crimes attributed to him and his associates. He was reported seen in Chicago yesterday.

Maj. Calvin Goddard, ballistics expert, arrived in the city today to make microscopic study of the bullets, which, authorities hope, will definitely determine whether Burke took part in the North Clark street massacre. Maj. Goddard said the examination would require several days.

FILM TIME TABLES

Feature pictures are presented on the following schedules at the theaters named:

RKO-Keith's—"The Great Gabbo," at 11:12 a. m., 1:18, 3:18, 5:12, 7:15 and 9:15 p. m.

Columbia—"Hallelujah," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:10, 5:15, 7:20 and 9:30 p. m.

Fox—"The River," at 11:55 a. m., 2:40, 4:43, 7:55 and 9:58 p. m.

Earle—"The Love Racket," at 11:40 a. m., 1:50, 3:50, 5:45, 7:50 and 9:55 p. m.

Palace—"The Locked Door," at 12 noon, 2:40, 5:18, 7:39 and 9:57 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Charming Sinners," at 11 a. m., 12:48, 2:36, 4:26, 6:14, 8:04 and 9:55 p. m.

Rialto—"Red Hot Rhythm," at 11:50 a. m., 1:50, 3:50, 5:50, 7:50 and 9:50 p. m.

Tivoli—"Disraeli," at 2:15, 4:05, 5:50, 7:40 and 9:30 p. m.

Ambassador—"The Desert Song," at at 5:20, 7:25 and 9:30 p. m.

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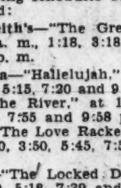

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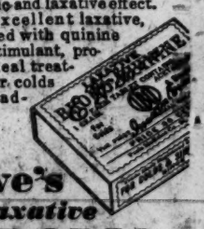

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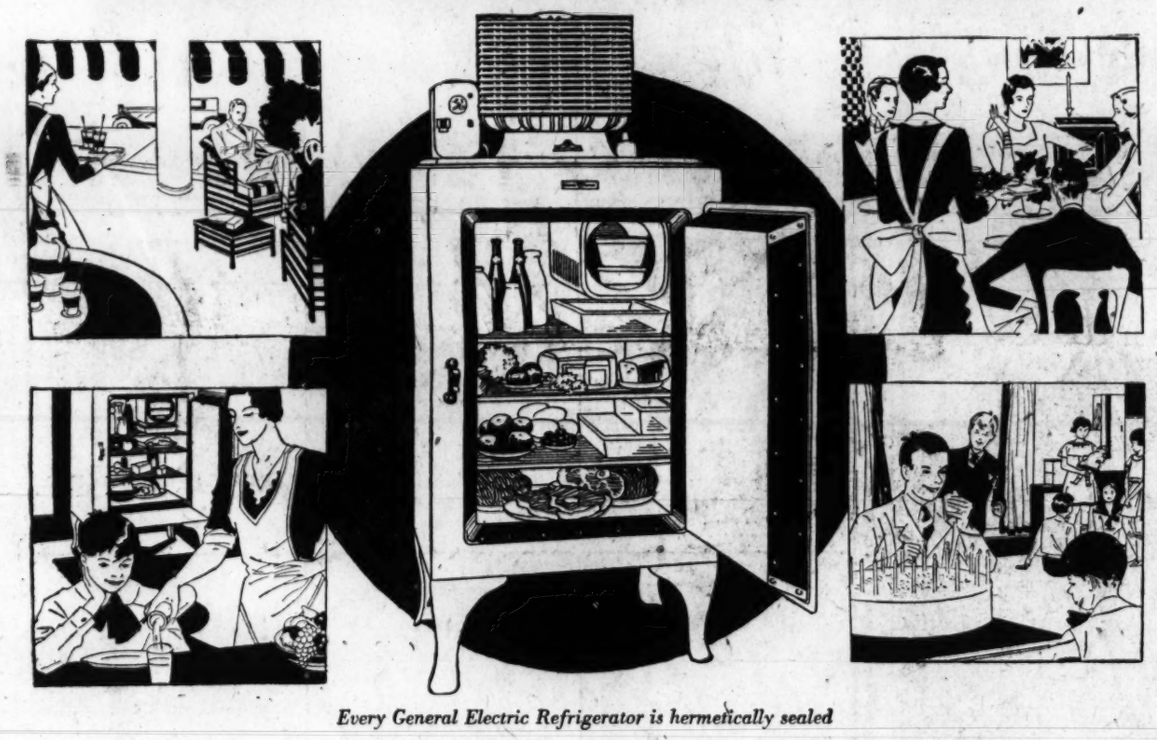

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SOPRANO AND TENOR SING AT MAYFLOWER

Musical Morning Is Featured by Emma Otero and Richard Crooks.

BOTH VOICES PLEASING

Emma Otero, Cuban coloratura soprano, and Richard Crooks, tenor, were the joint artists heard in a delightful program yesterday morning at Mrs. Lawrence Townsend's Thirty-Ninth Musical Morning at the Hotel Mayflower.

Miss Otero is the protege of the wife of the President of Cuba, Senora Machado. She has been studying in New York for two years and made her debut in that city last week with considerable success.

The most intricate of staccato and arpeggios in her arias yesterday were handled excellently. In the "Shadow Song" from Dinorah by Meyerbeer, the best singing of the morning, artistry, sweetness and a sure command of its technical difficulties were apparent. In her duet with Crooks, the duet from "Rigoletto," Miss Otero sustained her part satisfactorily and with operatic finish.

Crooks proved himself a master vocalist from his first number to the lovely "Lohengrin's Narrative" by Wagner, with which the program was concluded. He has a voice of true tenor quality, and his art has advanced greatly during his stay abroad.

Beethoven's "Adelaide," admired by music lovers the world over, brought realization that Crooks has a voice of lyric beauty, true artistry and the gift of musical expression. In the group of German songs which marked his second appearance on the program yesterday, it was apparent he is familiar with the art of German lieder while his operatic flair was demonstrated in the "Duet from Rigoletto" with Miss Otero.

Much of Miss Otero's success yesterday was due to the skilled assistance given her at the piano by Frank La Forge, the composer-pianist, who accompanied her songs, while Rudolph Green, accomapnist for Crooks, deserves honorable mention for his share in that artist's excellent presentation.

Aspinwall Named Head Of Chest Rating Group

Clarence A. Aspinwall, secretary of the Community Chest, has accepted the chairmanship of the newly created rating committee at the request of John Poole announced yesquest of John Poole, campaign committee chairman, Poole announced yesterday.

The rating committee, Poole explained, will make a careful study of subscriptions of Community Chest subscribers and prospective contributors with a view to suggesting names which should be handled by the special gifts committee, which will solicit all prospects of $500 or more and from whom at least half of the total amount raised must be obtained. In addition to being secretary of the chest, Aspinwall was vice chairman of the special gifts committee last year. He is one of the incorporators of the Community Chest campaign and has worked steadily for the organization for several years.

Auto Dealers Give Dance.

The Washington Chevrolet Dealers Association was host last night at a dinner dance at the Mayflower Hotel to the members of their sales organization and their ladies. William Ilich, president of the association, was in charge of the arrangements for the party, which was attended by 125 couples.

BEHIND THE SCREENS

With NELSON B. BELL

HUNDREDS of Washington children have expressed their desire to help Santa Claus this Christmas by bringing gifts for the orphans of the Capital to the Earle Theater on Saturday morning of this week, when an orphans' gift matinee will be given at the Thirteenth street house.

A gift for an orphaned boy or girl is the only ticket necessary to this special performance. Money can not buy a ticket. The gifts are to be left in the Earle lobby, where Santa Claus' helpers will collect them for later distribution among the orphanages of the city.

Each of the Stanley-Crandall theaters, I am told, has been made a registration place for children in all sections of Washington who wish to attend the gift matinee. Each child is asked to fill out a card at the theater, pledging himself to bring a present to the Earle by 9 o'clock on Saturday morning.

Hundreds of these pledge cards have been turned over to the Stanley-Crandall executive offices, and present indications are that an overflow gift matinee may be held at the same hour on the same day at the Metropolitan Theater. This, however, will not be definitely determined until it is certain that the Earle will be filled to capacity.

Parents may accompany younger children to this special presentation of a program that has been particularly assembled for the entertainment of a juvenile audience, and will be admitted free.

One of the current rumors that just filtered in the open window is to the effect that the Warners already have plans well under way for the erection of four new residential picture houses in semiremote areas of the National Capital, in anticipation of the further growth of communities not now conveniently served by any of the theaters at present comprising the Stanley-Crandall chain.

Yeah, try to find where, until all contiguous real estate has been put under option.

For two days now I have been trying to sneak around the corner long enough to enable M. . . "Mike" Cullen, managing director of the Loew interests in Washington, to attempt to impart to an intelligence that has no lightning grasp of mechanics just what has been done to the sound projection at Loew's Palace and Columbia Theaters.

An acoustical engineer or two popped into Washington recently and proceeded to subject the back screen horns to a few severe osteopathic and chiropractic adjustments, designed to do the patient a world of good. It seems they even went further than that and employed zonite—or something of the sort—in a way wholly new, with a view to making the Loew sound projecton practicall, perfection itself. Which, by the way, "Mike" says they have done.

More of this later—unless a personal inspection leaves me more baffled than I am already, which hardly seems possible.

No matter what precautions are taken or how much care exercised by the house management, there are times when sound reproduction gets completely away from the projectionist through no fault of his own. The Metropolitan this week presents a case in point.

"Charming Sinners" is not all that might be desired in the matter of audibility and clarity of tone. The fault, however, lies in the film itself. This subject happens to have been made many months ago. It was reviewed by the trade in July, to be exact, and screened at the Metropolitan as long ago as last September. Although it has not previously been presented in Washington, it has been widely circulated in other territory and the prints are worn almost to the point of abandonment. The sound track—it is recorded on the film and not on a disc—is reported to me to be scratched, smudged with dirt and grease and otherwise beyond remedy. Three prints have been tried during the local engagement, without improvement.

It is just one of those things!

Incidentally, there is a brand new, fire-proof screen at the Met now. It was put in use for the first time this week and is said to be the last word in something or other.

In passing, if you have not as yet heard the overture arrangement of "Singing In the Rain," at the Palace, it is time to hurry. As we intimated on Monday, what with utilization of orchestra, organ, storm sheet, wide-angle projection and recorded voice, it has everything and affords an effect that has never before been approached in a Washington picture house, to the best of our knowledge.

There seems to be no such thing as an orthodox opening day for local photoplay bills any more, although I presume Christmas does make a difference. At any rate, two of the local houses are to put on new shows beginning Wednesday, December 25. According to present plans, the Rialto will inaugurate "The Shannons of Broadway," starring Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Gleason, on that date, and at the RKO-Keith Theater we will simultaneously catch our first glimpse of the devastating Mr. Rudy Vallee in "The Vagabond Lover." "The Great Gabbo" is doing so well on Fifteenth street, despite the pre-Christmas lull, that it will be continued as the attraction until next Wednesday.

For the information of the many who have missed him from the bill at the Fox Theater the last two days, I am grieved to report that John Irving Fisher, master of ceremonies, since Tuesday has been held incommunicado as a patient at a downtown hospital, where he was rushed after a complete physical and nervous collapse that threatens to develop into a severe case of pleuro-pneumonia.

At time of writing, late Wednesday afternoon, the attending physicians, Dr. Herman Hoffman in charge, have been unable to staunch the hemorrhages to which Mr. Fisher has been subject almost continuously during the past 24 hours. His condition is reported as grave, if not critical, and no one but the doctors is permitted to visit him.

Here's hoping.

The bookings for what is looked upon as the worst week in the theatrical year are as follows:

Columbia, Lionel Barrymore, in "The Mysterious Island;" Metropolitan, Ted Lewis, in "Is Everybody Happy?;" Fox, George Jessel and Lila Lee, in "Love, Live, Laugh;" Earle, "Buddy" Rogers and Jean Arthur, in "Half Way to Heaven;" Palace, Gertrude Lawrence, in "The Battle of Paris;" Rialto, Laura La Plante, in "Hold Your Man," beginning tomorrow (see above); RKO-Keith's, Erich von Stroheim and Betty Compson, in "The Great Gabbo," through Tuesday (see above); Wardman Park, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Ina Claire, in "The Awful Truth."

I presume, if we only knew the truth about it, Stanford White and Caesar Young both committed suicide!

Disabled Soldiers May Aid in Census

Preference as Enumerators Promised, Department Commander Says.

Every possible preference will be given disabled veterans in the selection of enumerators for the taking of the census in Washington starting April 1, E. Claude Babcock, department commander of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War, announced yesterday, following a conference with J. Sterling Moran, supervisor of the census for the National Capital.

"The Disabled American Veterans are highly gratified with the promises made by Mr. Moran," Babcock stated. "Our organization has been conducting an employment campaign for disabled men and our recent survey of the situation here shows a large number of unemployed veterans in the disabled class who will be delighted at the opportunity to obtain work which they can do.

"This is the kind of aid our men appreciate. We do very little actual charity work. Through our connection with the Community Chest we are able to afford temporary relief in an emergency, but what we are really striving to do is to obtain work for our members, where they can be self-supporting. This promise from Mr. Moran will come as one of the most pleasant Christmas presents that any of our members will receive."

Mayor Heads Hospital Staff.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 18 (Special).—Dr. Thomas W. Koon, mayor of Cumberland, was elected president of the staff of Allegheny Hospital for the coming year, yesterday. Dr. Linne H. Corson was chosen vice president and Dr. Lysle R. Everhart, was re-elected secretary.

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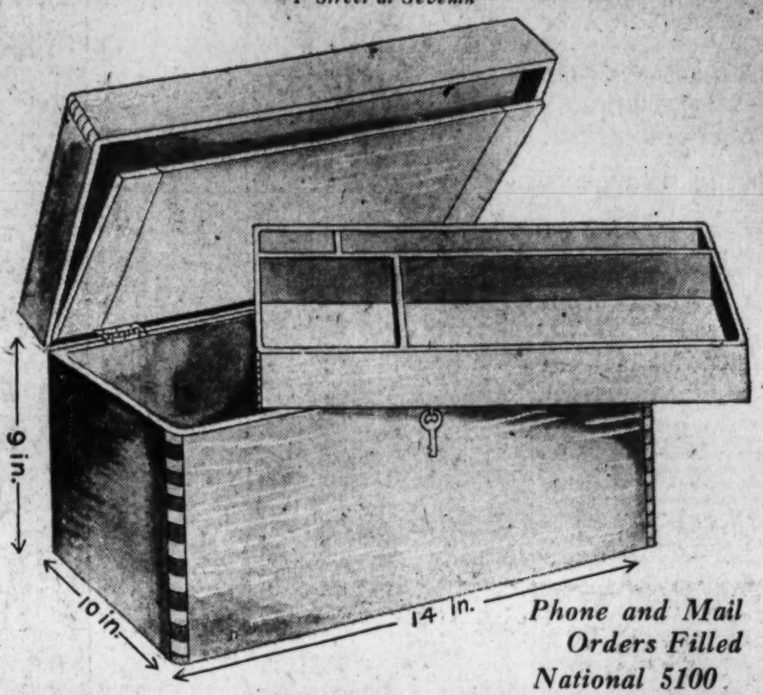

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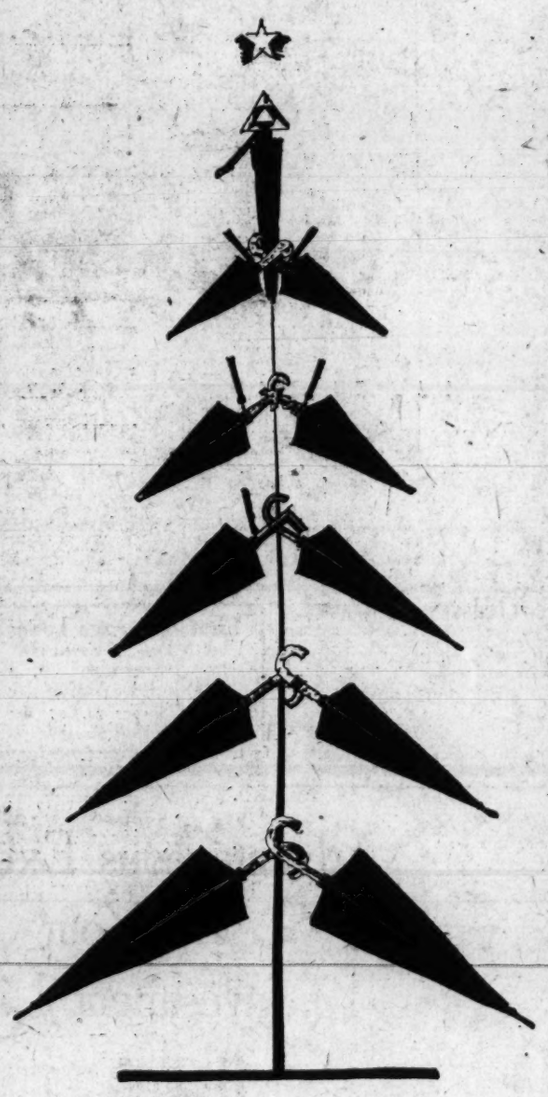

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LITTLE BRIGHT NEWS IN SLUGGISH MARKET

2,284,850 Shares of Stock Are Traded During Dull Day.

CREDIT IS UNCHANGED

New York, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Speculative apathy penetrated further today, and the volume of trading on the stock market dwindled close to the minimum level of the year. Only 2,284,850 shares were traded, the lowest level since the lethargic days of early June, when for three successive days transfers fell close to 2,000,000 shares a day.

The day's industrial and corporate news was rather undecisive, and distinctly not of a character to inspire ambitious market campaigns. Operators for the advance still awaited more definite business developments, and it was indicated in some quarters that they were preparing to wait until after the turn of the year. The bears, on the other hand, know that it is dangerous business to sell a dull market, and were temporarily hibernating.

The weekly iron and steel trade reviews indicated further slackening of steel mill operations, and some easing of pig iron prices, but Iron Age stated "mills believe that customers will be forced to enter the market in January, posibly in sufficient numbers to create a rebound in demand commensurate with the recent slump in buying." It ascribed a large measure of the slump to psychological rather than actual conditions. Some increase in automotive manufacturing was reported, particularly among the low-priced group.

Freight Car Loadings Decline.

Freight car loading figures for the first week of the month were again substantially below the like week a year ago, but the margin was a little less wide than that of recent week, owing to a sizable increase in the movement of coal. The total held well above the like week of 1927. Crude oil produciton figures for last week showed another moderate decline, bringing the output close to the level of this period a year ago.

Announcement of the Republic Steel merger had long been expected, and was somewhat less inclusive than had been anticipated in some quarters. Receivership for the American Bosa Co. was an unfavorable development, but reflected the unsatisfactory conditions with which the company has been struggling for several years.

Credit conditions remained unchanged, with call money holding at 4½ per cent, at which level several observers regard it as pegged. Forecasts of the probable showing of the brokerage loan compilation tomorrow were vague and varied, but a decline sufficient to cancel last week's $33,000,000 gain was widely expected.

Market Rallies at Noon.

The stock market was steady to firm during the forenoon, slumped during the early afternoon with renewed pressure against Fox Film, rallied briskly around 2 p. m. when strong support appeared in Pivotal Industrials, but sold off rapidly in the last half hour.

General Electric was bid up 8 points, to 271, closed at 236, up 3 net. U. S. Steel sold off nearly 2 points, rebounded for a net gain of more than 2, but closed unchanged, at 171¼. Alpha Portland Cement sold up 3 points when the regular dividend was declared on schedule, despite unsatisfactory conditions in the industry. Home Sound mounted a couple of points on declaration of an extra dividend. Fairly large scale buying of Texas Pacific Land Trust, which holds oil lands in Texas, suddenly appeared. The shares, normally rather inactive, rose 2½ points.

Republic Steel Drops 5 Points.

Republic Steel dropped nearly 5 points, evidently reflecting some disappointment over the merger announcement. Fox Film A sold off about 4 points, possibly reflecting indications that the class A stockholders committee may oppose the plans of the trustees. Allied Chemical, American and Foreign Power, A. M. Byers, Auburn Auto, Canadian Pacific and Purity Baking dropped 3 to 5 points. International Combustion dropped to a new low, at 28.

Commodities were dull. Wheat futures sagged ½ to nearly 1 cent on upward revision of Argentine estimates. Corn prices held barely steady. Cotton futures sold up about 50 cents a bale on short covering and reports of better consumption.

Foreign exchanges moved in narrow ranges. Latin-American exchanges rallied a little from yesterday's low levels, resulting from virtual suspension of gold payments by Argentina. Sterling cables were a shade lower, at $4.88⅛.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS OF YESTERDAY

Sales in hundreds		High	Low	Last	Chg.	Bid
5	Abitibi Pow & Pap	37	35	37	+ 1⅞	36½
2	Abitibi P & P pf (6)	77½	77½	77½		77
1	Abraham & Straus	62	62	62	— 1	62
40	Abraham&Straus pf (7) AS	105	105	105	— 1	105
31	Adamas Exp new (1.60) XD	27½	26¾	26¾	— ⅛	26⅝
4	Adams Millis (2)	23½	23¾	23⅝	+ 1⅛	22
48	Advance Rumely	16	12¼	14⅝	+ 2⅛	14⅛
66	Advance Rumely pf	26½	22	24	+ 1½	22
110	Ahumada Lead	¾	¾	¾		¾
59	Air Reduction (4½b)	125½	121	122½	+ 1½	122
4	Air Way El App (2½)	23½	23½	23½	— 2¾	20½
9	Ajax Rubber	2	1⅞	1⅞		1⅞
83	Alaska Juneau	7⅝	7	7⅛	+ ⅛	7⅜
1	Albany P Wrap Pap	9½	9½	9½		9½
144	Alleghany	27⅜	26¼	26¼	— ⅜	26¼
4	Alleghany pf (5½)	97⅜	97	97	+ ⅛	96⅝
1	Alleghany pf x-war (5½)	90	90	90	+ 1	90
100	Alliance Realty AS	100	95	100	+10	90
2	Al Chem & Dye (6a)	257	257	257	— 4½	256¾
13	Allis Chal Mfg (3)	52⅞	52	52	— ⅛	52
17	Alpha Port Cement (3)	33	30	33	+ 3	33
3	Amal Leather pf	20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ¼	16⅜
90	Amerad (2)	20	19	19½	— ½	18¼
2	Am Agri Chem	69¾	69½	69½	+ ¼	69½
5	Am Agri Chem pf	26½	26¼	26¼	— ½	26
3	Am Bank Note (3b)	82½	81¼	81½	— 2	80
100	Am Bank Note pf (3) AS	62½	62	62		62
12	Am Beet Sugar	7	6½	7	+ 1	7
20	Am Bosch Magneto	44½	42½	42½	— 1½	42½
14	Am Brake Shoe (2.40)	48	48	48	+ ½	47½
100	Am Br Shoe Fdy pf (7) AS	119¼	119¼	119¼	+ ¼	119¼
6	Am Brown Boveri El	10½	10	10	— ⅝	10
245	Am Can (5b)	117½	114⅝	115½	— 1½	115¼
7	Am Can pf (7)	145	143	143	— 2	142½
1	Am Car & Fdy (6)	82⅞	82½	82⅞	— ⅛	81½
1	Am Car Fdy pf (7)	117	117	117		117
6	Am Chicle (2½b)	38½	37⅝	38½	+ 1½	37½
7	Am Coml Alcohol (1.60a)	32½	31⅜	31¾	— ⅛	31¾
3	Am Encaus Til (2)	23⅛	23½	23⅜	— ⅛	24
5	Amer & European	37	36	36½	+ 1⅛	36
77	Am & For Power	94	90½	91½	— 2¼	91¼
7	Am Hawaiian Steamship (2)	19½	19	19		19
3	Am Home Prod (4.20)	57	56⅝	56⅞	— ⅛	56⅝
33	Am International (2a)	39½	38½	38½	— 1	38¼
1	Am-La France & Foam	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝		2⅝
2	Am Loco (8)	103	102¾	103		102½
3	Am Loco pf (7)	117¼	116⅝	116⅝	— ⅛	116
3	Am Mach & Fdy (7b)	224	220	224	+ 4⅝	222
5	Am Metal (3)	48	48	48	— ⅜	47
15	Am Piano	2	1⅜	1½		1¼
820	Am Piano pf AS	6¼	6	6	— 1½	5¾
29	Am Pow & Lgt (1a)	83¾	81	82	+ ½	81½
1	Am Pow & Lt 6% pf (6)	101¾	101¾	101¾		101½
4	Am Pow & Lgt pf A (3)	75	75	75		74½
11	Am Pow & Lt pf A stpd (5)	81⅞	81½	81⅝	+ ⅜	81
58	Am Rad Stand San (1½)	32½	31⅝	31⅝	— 1	31⅝
10	Am Rad St San pf (7) AS	130	130	130		126
42	Am Republics	27¾	26	27⅜	+ 1⅜	27
22	Am Rolling Mills (2a)	87⅝	85	85¾	+ ⅜	85
1	Am Rolling Mill rts	¾	¾	¾	+ ¾	¾
1	Am Safety Raz (5b)	59⅞	59¾	59⅞	+ 2⅞	57
1	Am Seating (2)	21½	21½	21½		21½
27	Am Smelt & Ref (4)	73½	72	73		73
3	Am Smelt pf (7)	135	135	135	+ ½	134¾
2	Am Snuff (3)	41¾	41¾	41¾	— ½	41½
10	Am Snuff pf (6) AS	102¾	102¾	102¾	+ ¼	102¾
2	Am Steel Fdrs (3)	46½	46¾	46¾	— ¼	46
10	Am Steel Fdrs pf (7) AS	111	111	111	+ ¼	110¾
6	Am Stores (2½b)	48¼	48¼	48¼	— ¼	48¼
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20	Am Bosch Magneto	44½	42½	42½	— 1½	42½
14	Am Brake Shoe (2.40)	48	48	48	+ ½	47½
100	Am Br Shoe Fdy pf (7) AS	119¼	119¼	119¼	+ ¼	119¼
6	Am Brown Boveri El	10½	10	10	— ⅝	10
245	Am Can (5b)	117½	114⅝	115½	— 1½	115¼
7	Am Can pf (7)	145	143	143	— 2	142½
1	Am Car & Fdy (6)	82⅞	82½	82⅞	— ⅛	81½
1	Am Car Fdy pf (7)	117	117	117		117
6	Am Chicle (2½b)	38½	37⅝	38½	+ 1½	37½
7	Am Coml Alcohol (1.60a)	32½	31⅜	31¾	— ⅛	31¾
3	Am Encaus Til

ARGENTINIAN BONDS DECLINE SIX POINTS

Country's Silver Standard Move Again Sends Issues Downward.

CARRIERS GAIN SLIGHTLY

New York, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Emphatic weakness in Argentine government securities, which broke to 6 points, was the outstanding development of the day in the bond market.

The selling was on a moderate scale and was mostly for speculative accounts. It was an aftermath of Argentina's announcement that the conversion privilege had been suspended at the gold exchange and accompanied material declines in Argentine obligations in London.

The South American Republic has many 6 per cent coupon issues listed on the New York Stock Exchange, and virtually all of these figured in the day's downward movement, which sent them to new lows for the year at around 90, contrasting with the highs of a fraction above par. Two of the three Buenos Aires 6s traded in the session declined to the same extent. Chilean and Colombian bonds lost 1 to 3 points in sympathy. Brazilians were steady.

Domestic List Advances.

The domestic list scored a small advance, although buying activity was limited to the first-grade rails and the prime utilities. Such selective employment of such reinvestment funds as were ready for use had the effect of steadying the industrials and many speculative listings in all groups. On the other hand, United States Government issues eased. This apparently confused trend was taken as indication of public buying in sound issues which offer larger yields than the Liberties and Treasuries.

There was no change in the money markets and time funds loaned at 5 per cent and call loans held at the renewal rate of 4½. Little change in these rates is anticipated until after the holidays.

In the rail group gains averaging half a point came out in Atchison general 4s, Baltimore & Ohio gold 4s, Chicago & Northwestern 4½s, Erie general 4s, Delaware & Hudson 4½s, Illinois Central 4¾s, Missouri-Kansas-Texas 4½s, Northern Pacific general 3s, Pennsylvania 4½s, Texas & Pacific 5s and St. Louis-San Francisco prior lien 4s.

Some Industrials Rise.

Inquiry for the utilities supported American Telephone 5½s, Duquesne Light 4½s, Detroit Edison 5s, Kansas City Power & Light 5s, New York Edison 6½s, Pacific Telephone 5s, Pacific Gas 5s and Southern Bell Telephone 5s.

In the industrial section numerous high grade loans took an upward turn, but the improvement was only nominal. Standard Oil of New Jersey 5s rose a point.

Convertibles were mixed and dull, with the result that net changes were fractional.

New offerings for tomorrow include a $2,700,000 issue of Central Illinois Public Service first 5s, due in 1968, at 96.

LOCAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Commercial Nat. Bank, 10 at 255.
Federal-American National Bank, 10 at 293.
Commercial National Co. pfd., 10 at 101¼.
Mergenthaler Linotype, 5 at 107.
After call:
Potomac Elec. 5½% pfd., 1 at 104½, 8 at 105, 5 at 105, 10 at 105, 10 at 105, 2 at 104¾.
Washington Gas 6s, 1933, Ser. A, $100 at 101½.
Potomac Elec. 6% pfd., 2 at 110.
Washington Gas 5s, $500 at 100.
Riggs Nat. Bank, 8 at 530.
Capital Traction 5s, $1,000 at 92¼.
Potomac Elec. cons. 5s, $1,000 at 100.
Georgetown Gas 5s, $500 at 99.
Col. Sand & Gravel pfd., 20 at 88.

BONDS

PUBLIC UTILITIES.	Bid.	Ask.
Amn. T. & Tel. Conv. 4½s. '33	98	.....
Amn. T. & Tel. Conv. 4½s. '39	102	103
Amn. Tel. & Tel. Col. Tr. 5s.	103¼	.....
Ana. & Pot. River R. R. 1st 5s	81	85
Ana. & Pot. River Guar. 5s.	90½	92½
C. & P. Tel. of Va. 5s.	100¾	.....
Capital Traction 1st 5s.	91¾	92½
City & Sub. Ry. 1st 5s.	81	82
Geo'town Gas Lt. 1st 5s.	97½	101
Pot. Elec. Power Cons. 5s.	99¾	101
Pot. Elec. Power gl. and ref. 6s	106	.....
Wash., Alex. & Mt. Ver. ctfs.	1	3
Wash., Balto. & Annap. 1st. 5s	66	.....
Wash. Gas L.t. gen. 5s.	100	.....
Wash. Gas Lt. Co., Ser. A 6s.	101	.....
Wash. Gas Lt. Co., Ser. B 6s.	103½	.....
Wash. Ry. & Elec. Cons. 4s.	83½	84

MISCELLANEOUS.		
Barber & Ross, Inc., 6½s.	89¾	93
Chamb'rlin-Vand'rb't Htl. 6½s	60	100
Chevy Chase Club 1st 5½s.	100	.....
Dist. of Col. Paper Mfg. 1st 6s	88	96
Dist. Joint Stock Land Bk. 5s.	93	98
Wash. Consolidated Title 6s.	.....	100
Wash. Market Co. 1st Stge. 5s.	95	.....

STOCKS

Amn. Tel. & Tel.	220	.....
*Capital Traction	74	76
Washington Gas	100	110
Nor. & Wash. Steamboat	260	295
Potomac Elec. Power pfd. 6s	100	111
Potomac Elec. Power pfd. 5½s	104½	105
Wash. Ry. & Elec. com.	450	600
Wash. Ry. & Elec. Co. pfd.	94¼	97
Wash., Balt. & Annap. com.	6	.....
Wash., Balt. & Annap. pfd.	6	.....

NATIONAL BANKS.

Capital	250	300
Columbia	400	450
*Commercial (stamped)	255	265
District	219	230
Federal-American	295	325
Liberty	208	215
Lincoln	400	440
Metropolitan	375	400
Riggs	530	548
Second	210	.....
Washington	285	300

TRUST COMPANIES.

Amer. Security & Trust	430	465
Continental Trust	133½	.....
Merch. Bank & Trust Co.	130	140
National Savings & Trust.	525	550
Union Trust	270	300
Wash. Loan & Trust.	495	550

SAVINGS BANKS.

Bank of Bethesda	65	74
Commerce & Savings	330	.....
East Washington	35	45
Potomac Savings	325	.....
Sec. Sav. & Commercial	476	500
Seventh Street	305	.....
United States	500	.....
Washington Mechanics	50	60

FIRE INSURANCE.

American	300	.....
Corcoran	150	.....
Firemen's	42	.....
National Union	21	27

TITLE INSURANCE.

Columbia	8	14
Real Estate	175	.....
Title & Inv. Co. of Md. com	25	.....
Wash. Cons'd Title Co. pfd.	50	.....

MISCELLANEOUS.

Barber & Ross, Inc., com	16	20
Chevy Chase Dairy pfd.	102	108
Col. Sand & Gravel Co. pfd.	86	93
Commercial Natl. Co. pfd.	101¼	103
D. C. Paper Mfg. Co. pfd.	55	65
District Natl. Securities pfd.	95	102
Federal Storage Co. pfd.	115	125
*Federal-American Co. com.	32	34
Federal-American Co. pfd.	100	105
Lanston Monotype	106	110
Merch. Tfr. & Storage com.	115	120
Merch. Tfr. & Storage pfd.	100	105
*Mergenthaler Linotype	106	107¼
Natl. Mtge. & Inv. Co. pfd.	4	4½
*Peoples Drug Stores pfd.	104	108
Real Est. Mtge. & Guar. pfd.	7¼	7½
Security Storage	115	120
Terminal Ref. & Wh'e Corp.	48	53
The Carpel Corporation	22¾	35
Wash. Mech. Mtge. Co. com.	11	15
Wash. Medical Bldg. Corp.	100	.....
Woodward & Lothrop pfd.	105¼	.....

*Ex dividend.
†Book closed

BALTIMORE SECURITIES.

Baltimore, Dec. 18 (A.P.). — Closing prices:

Appalachian Corp	5
Arundel Corporation	42
Balto Trust nw com ctf	39
Black & Decker	50
Con G E L & Pow	90
Con G E L & P 5% pfd	100½
Consolidation Coal	13
DeLion Tire & Rubber	.75
Emer Bro Sel C A	31
First National Bank	53
Maryland Casualty	90¾
Mer & Min Trans Co	44½
Un Por Ric Sugar	30
Un Rys & Electric	8
U S Fidelity & Guar	46
Wash Bal & Annap Ry	8
Un Rys & Elec 1st 4s	56
Un Rys & Elec income 4s	32½
Wash Balto & Annapolis 5s	68

NEW YORK CURB MARKET TRANSACTIONS OF YESTERDAY

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
A			
5 Aeronautical war	1½	1¼	1¼
1 Aero Sup A (1½)	40	40	40
1 Aero Sup B	11½	11½	11½
2 Aero Underwriters	15½	15	15
11 Agfa Ansco	19¼	19	19
250 Agfa Ansco pf A	77¾	77¾	77¾
2 Air Invest vtc	4	4	4
5 Air Invest cvt pf	11¾	11¾	11¾
4 Airstocks vtc	44½	43½	44½
5 Ala Power	68	68	68
4 Alexander Industries	2½	2	2½
1 Allegheny Gas	7	7	7
10 Allied Aviation	1½	1½	1½
20 Allied Pow & Lt	37¾	36¾	37¾
1 Allied Pow&Lt pf(3)	44	44	44
4 Allied P&L 1stpf(5)	75¾	75¾	75¾
3 Allison Drug A	¾	¾	¾
4 Aluminum Co Am	285	270	270
1 Alum Co Am pf (6)	108½	108½	108½
2 Am Arch (3)	36¾	36	36
2 Am Chain (3)	34½	34½	34½
375 Am Cigar (8) AS	101½	101½	101½
2 Am Cit P&L A (3r)	38½	38½	38½
44 AmCitP&L B(10%f)	17½	16¾	17½
1 Am Colortyp(3g)XD	22½	22½	22½
13 AmComPow A(.30a)	24½	24	24½
8 AmComPow B(.30a)	36	34½	36
3 AmComPow opt war	3½	3¾	3¾
1 Am Cont Oilfields	½	½	½
71 Am Cyan B (1.60)	26¾	25¾	25¾
7 Am Dept Stores	4¼	4	4
8 Am Equities	16½	16¼	16¼
25 Am & Fgn Pow war	6¾	6	6¾
10 Am Gas & El (1a)	118	115¼	115¾
1 Am Gas & El pf (6)	107	107	107
20 Am Invest B	12¼	11¾	11¾
1 Am Invest war	6½	6½	6½
25 AmLaundMa (4a) AS	70¼	70¼	70¼
3 Am Maracaibo	1¾	1¾	1¾
3 AmSolv&ChCon p(3)	29¾	29¾	29¾
1 AmStPubSer A(1.60)	20	20	20
278 Am Superpow (1)	24¾	24½	24½
9 Am Superpo 1 pf(6)	95	94¾	95
1 Am Superpow pf(6)	88½	88½	88½
2 Am Yvette	28¾	28¾	28¾
4 Am Yvette new	5¾	5¾	5¾
1 Amsterdam Tr (1½)	27½	27½	27½
30 AngAm vot cod (.73)	18¾	18¾	18¾
11 AngloChil Con Nitra	20	19¼	19¼
11 Anglo Nor Hold	2¾	2¾	2¾
6 Arcturus Radio Tub	10¾	10¼	10¼
1 Argo Oil	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
21 Arizona Globe	½	½	½
28 Arkansas Nat Gas	9¾	9½	9½
120 Ark Nat Gas A	9¾	8⅝	8⅞
9 Ark Nat Gas pf(.60)	8	7⅞	7⅞
250 Ark Po&Lt pf (7) AS	104½	104	104
50 ArmstronCk (2g) AS	60¼	60¼	60¼
1 Asso Dye & Print	3½	3½	3½
1 Asso Laund (.20a)	2½	2½	2½
94 Asso El Ind Ltd	5¾	5¾	5¾
37 A O G & E A (2.40e)	39¾	39¼	39½
1 Asso G & E debrts	9¼	9¼	9¼
1 Associated Rayon	5½	5½	5½
14 Assoc Rayon pf (8)	47¾	46	46
14 Atl Cst Fish (1.40)	25¾	25¾	25¾
1 Atl Fruit & Sug	⅞	⅞	⅞
2 Atlas Plywood (4)	24¾	24¾	24¾
1 Atlas Port Cem(2)	35	35	35
1 Autom Vot Mch	8½	8¾	8¾
11 Aut V M cv pr pf(2)	17½	17	17
21 Aviation Credit	13¼	13¼	13¼
B			
2 Bahia Corp	3½	3½	3½
1 Bellanca Aircraft vtc	5½	5½	5½
5 Blaw Knox (1½g)	33½	32½	33½
8 Bliss E W (1)	22½	22	22
18 Blue Ridge	7¾	7⅝	7¾
35 Bl Ridge ct pf(3g)	35⅝	34¾	35⅝
3 Blumenthal (8)	30	29¾	29¾
3 Bluma Inc	25¼	24	24
33 Brazil Tr & Li (2)	38½	36	36
1 Bridgeport Machine	3	3	3
1 Brill B	3½	3½	3½
1 Bulova W pf (3½)	37	37	37
1 Burco	10	10	10
1 Burco cv pf (3)	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛
2 Burco war	4	4	4
3 Butler Bros (2)	20	19	19
16 Bwana M'Kubua	5¼	5	5¼
C			
2 Cable Radio T vtc	6	5⅞	6
15 Cable & Wire A	3½	3½	3½
45 Cable & Wire B	1¾	1¾	1¾
3 Cable & Wire pf	4½	4½	4½
76 C A M Co vtc	½	⅜	½
5 C A M Co pf	2¾	2½	2½
32 Can Marc Wireless	4½	4½	4¼
5 Carib Syn	1	1	1
3 Carman & Co A(2)	21	21	21
11 Celanese Corp Am	34¼	34¼	34¼
3 Cent At States	6¾	6¾	6¾
50 Cent P ServA(1¾r)	37	36½	37
7 Cen St El (.40a)	23	22¾	23
1 Cent St El ct pfn(6)	88½	88½	88½
28 Centrifugal P (.60)	5½	5⅝	5½
3 Chain St Stk (6f)	13½	12⅞	13¾
14 Chess & Ohio n	55½	53½	54¼
2 Chief Cons Min	1¾	1¾	1¾
532 Cit Serv (.30a)	27	25½	25¾
2 Cit -Serv pf (6)	89¼	89¼	89½
1 Clark Lighter A	1½	1½	1½
1 Cleve Tractor (1.60)	19½	19½	19½
1 Club Alum Uten	3¼	3¼	3¼
16 Colombian Syndicate	⅜	⅜	⅜
4 Colon Oil	5¾	5½	5½
1 Colt Pat Firearms 2	25	25	25
8 Com'w'lth & So war	3¾	3½	3⅝
3 Cons Aircraft	17	17	17
6 Cons Cop Min	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞
1 Cons Dairy Prod 2a	20¾	20¾	20¾
9 Cons G&E Balt 3.60	89½	88¼	88¼
75 Con G Bal P A 5 AS	100	100	100
1 Cons Gas Ut A 2.20	24	24	24
5 Cons Instrument	4¾	4¾	4¾
8 Cons Laundries	10½	10	10½
1 Cons Royalty (.60)	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
1 Cooper Bessemer (2)	29¾	29¾	29¾
1 Copeland Prod A	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
23 Cord Corp	13⅝	13½	13½
7 Cor & Reynolds	16	15	15
3 Cor & Rey p A (6)	82¾	77	79
7 Creole Pet	6¾	6⅝	6¾
9 Cresson Gold (.06)	⅜	⅜	⅜
9 Crocker & Wheeler	24¼	23⅝	24¼
3 Crowley Milner (2)	30½	30½	30½
3 Crown Cent Pet	½	½	½
2 Curtiss Flying	5¾	5½	5½
1 Curtiss Wright war	2¼	2¼	2¼
16 Cusi Mex Min	1¾	1¾	1¾
D			
8 Darby Pet (1)	9⅛	9	9
75 Dayton Airplane AS	5	5	5
50 Deere & Co (6) AS	390	390	390
71 De Forest Radio	5⅞	5⅜	5½
1 Derby Oil	5¾	5¼	5¼
1 Detroit Aircraft	8	7½	7¾
1 Dixie Gas Util	13	13	13
3 Doehler Die-Cast	17½	17⅛	17⅛
2 Dolores Esperanza	⅞	⅞	⅞
5 Douglas Aircraft	15⅜	15	15
2 Draper Corp (5g)	63½	63⅛	63⅛
1 Driver Harris	39	39	39
17 Dubilier Condenser	14¼	13⅝	14
53 Durant Mot	5¾	5	5¼
1 Dus Inc ctfs	1	1	1
E			
101 Earl Radio	⅞	¾	⅞
5 Eastern Gas & Fuel	25¾	25	25¾
1 Eas States Pow B	20	20	20
10 Eisler Elec	17½	16¼	16¾
495 El Bond & Sh 6%f	84⅝	82½	82⅝
2 El Bond & Sh pf (6)	103⅜	103¼	103⅜
3 El Household Util	41½	41½	41½
16 El Power Assoc	26¼	25⅜	26¼
13 El Power Assoc A	23	22⅞	23
26 El P & L opt war	28	27	27½
8 Elec Share (1a)	17⅝	17½	17½
3 Elec Share pf (6)	88⅞	87¼	88⅞
1 Emp G&F 8% pf(8)	100	100	100
3 EmpG&F 7% pf7XD	89	87¾	89
2 Empire Power (2)	42	41	42
F			
4 Fairchild Aviat A	4	3¾	3¾
150 Fajardo Sugar AS	56	55	55¼
1 Falcon Lead Min	⅞	⅞	⅞
1 Fansteel Prod	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
2 Fedders Mfg A (2)	10½	10	10
1 Fed Screw (3½g)	34½	34½	34½
6 Fiat rcts	18	17¾	18
8 Fiat deb rts	2¼	1⅝	1⅝
3 Finan Inv (8%f)	7½	7½	7½
1 Fokker Aircraft	17¼	17¼	17¼
6 Ford Motor Can A	31½	30⅝	31
4 Ford Motor France	8½	7⅞	7⅞
25 Ford Motor Ltd	11⅜	11	11½
2 Foremost Dairy	10½	10¼	10¼
7 Foundation Fgn A	4½	4½	4½
13 Fourth Nat Inv	33½	32½	32½
167 Fox Theater A	8¼	6⅝	7
1 Franklin Mfg Co (2)	22	22	22
G			
120 Gelsna S O old pAS	82	75	82
2 Garlock Pack (2b)	21¾	20⅝	21¾
20 Gas Am Inv Co	10¼	10¼	10¼
2 Gas Am Inv pf (6)	78	78	78
56 Gen Baking	4	3¾	3⅞
15 Gen Bak pf (6) XD	53¾	52½	53¾
28 Gen Elec reg (½)	11½	11¼	11⅜
1 Gen Empire	24	24	24
1 Gen Firep (2) 2.25g	33	33	33
2 Gen Gas & El A	13¾	13⅝	13⅝
1 Gen Ind Alcohol	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
3 Gen Ldy Mch (1.80)	12½	12	12
51 Gen Realty & Util	11⅞	10¾	11⅞
3 Gen Real & Ut pf 6	79¾	79	79¾
1 Gen Wat & El A (2)	24½	24⅛	24½
3 Gilbert Co	17¾	17⅜	17⅜
1 Gleaner C'Harv n(1)	114¾	114¾	114¾
10 Globe Underwriters	14½	13¾	13⅝
5 Gold Seal Electric	5½	5	5
10 Goldfield Cons	⅞	⅞	⅞
41 Goldman S (6%f)	40⅝	40	40¾
1 Gorham Mfg vtc 2a	40	40	40
1 Gorham, Inc, A	20	20	20
3 Gorham, Inc, pf (3)	32	30¼	30¼
6 Gotham Knitbac	2	1¾	1¾
10 Gram rcts (2.91)	22	21⅝	21⅝
12 Graymur	33¼	33	33
10 Gt Atl&P W Y(5) AS	240	240	240
50 Gt A & P 1 p(7) AS	117	117	117
2 Grocery St Pr vtc	14	14	14
7 Ground Grip (1¼g)	25¾	23½	25¾
2 Guardian Fire (2)	39¾	36	39¾
14 Gulf O CPa(1½)XD	142	140	140
H			
2 Hap Candy St A	1½	1¼	1½
6 Hayzart Corp	37¾	37	37
3 Hecla Min (1)	13¼	13½	13½
9 Helena Rubenstein	7⅝	7½	7⅝
33 H Walk G & W (1)	11⅞	11¾	11¾
12 Houston Gulf Gas	8¼	7⅝	7⅝
92 Hud Bay M & S	9⅝	8⅝	9⅜
7 Hum O & R (2g)	86¼	85½	86¼
6 Hydro El Serv (2)	40¼	39¾	39¾
7 Hygrade Food	11	10½	11
I			
2 Ill Pipe Line (20)	310	309	309
1 Imp Oil Can n (⅛)	27	27	27
1 Imp Tob Brit (1¼)	23¾	23¾	23¾
26 Ind Ter Il (2xg)	22⅜	20¾	20¾
7 Ind Pipe L n (2.25g)	41½	40	40
16 Ind Pn & Pr (.60)	18	17⅜	17⅜
1 Indust Fin pf (7)	65	65	65
4 Insull Util (6%f)	68	66½	65½
1 Insull Ut 2 pf (6)	86¼	86	86¼
1 Insull Ut pr p (5½)	83¼	83	83¼
7 Insur Sec (1.40)	18¼	18	18
2 Intercon Petrol	¾	¾	¾
1 Intl Power	14	14	14
5 Inter Prod	5¾	5⅝	5⅝
9 Inter Superpow (1a)	36	35¼	36
1 Inter Util B	7	7	7
10 Interstate Equities	14½	14	14
2 Inters Eq cvt pf (3)	42¼	42¼	42½
1 Inter Hos (1.40)	8¼	8⅛	8⅛
12 Irv Air Ch (1½) XD	14¾	14	14
3 Ital Superpower A	11¾	11	11
6 Ital Super deb rts	6¾	6¼	6⅜
1 Jonas Naumburg	2	2	2
K			
2 Kerr Lake Mines	⅞	⅞	⅞
1 Klein (D Emil) Co	15	15	15
11 Kleinert (2½)	25½	25⅝	25⅝
9 Kolster Brandes	1⅛	1	1
L			
3 Lakey F & M(2.40g)	9½	9⅛	9⅛
3 Lake Superior, new	10	10	10
1 Lefcourt R pf (3)	27	27	27
2250 Lehman Corp AS	73½	72⅛	72⅛
1 Leonard Oil	2	2	2
4 Lerner Stores (2)	41	40⅝	41
6 Lily T Cup (1½)	18¾	18	18⅝
4 Loew's war	2½	2	2½
1 Lone S G new (.80)	35½	35½	35½
3 Long Is Light (.40)	41	40½	40½
127 Louisiana L & E	3¼	2½	3
M			
1 Magdalena Syndic	⅞	⅞	⅞
3 Marc Ins Exch	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞
34 Marine Mid (1.20)	36	35	36
2 Marion Stm Shov	13	13	13
50 Maryld Cas (5g) AS	90	90	90
41 Mavis Bottling Co	1¼	1⅛	1¼
3 Mayflower Assoc	51	48½	48½
3 McCord Rad B (2)	20	19⅝	20
2 Mead John (3¼g)	49⅞	49⅞	49⅞
1 Memphis Nat Gas	11¾	11⅝	11¾
1 Merr C & S (1.60)	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
2 Metal & Min (1.20)	13	12½	12½
6 Metro Ch Stores	33⅜	33⅜	33⅜
12 Mid W U new(8%f)	27⅜	26⅝	26⅝
1 Mid W U pf x-war	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
1 Mid W Util A war	2½	2	2
11 Mid W Util B war	1	1	1
7 Mo K PipeL(5%%f)	19¾	19¼	19¾
1 Mock Judson v (2)	24	24	24
1 Mohawk Mining (6)	45	45	45
20 Montecatini deb rts	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
5 Morrison Elec (1)	39¾	39¼	39¾
1 Mtg Bk of Columbia	26	26	26
2 Mountain Pr (1.60)	8¾	8⅝	8¾
13 Municipal Service	10½	10¼	10½
N			
1 Nachman Spring(3)	26	26	26
24 Nat Amer Co (2)	9½	9¼	9½
17 Nat Aviation	9¾	9¼	9¼
4 Nat Bancservice (5)	35¼	34⅞	35
3 Nat Fam Strs(1.60)	20¾	20	20⅝
13 Nat Fuel & Gas(1)	26⅝	25¼	26⅛
6 Nat Investors	15⅜	14½	14¾
1 Nat Mfg & Stores	14½	14½	14½
1 Nat Pub S, A(1.80)	24⅞	24	24⅞
6 Nat Rub Mach(2)	20⅜	20½	20¾
1 Nat Sug Ref N J(2)	32¾	32½	32½
2 Nat Transit (1½g)	22½	22	22
11 Nat Union Radio	6	6	6
1 Neptune Me, A (2)	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜
1 Nestle Le Mur A(2)	3	3	3
160 N Eng Power(2)AS	103	100	103
10 N E Pow pf(6)AS	88½	88½	88½
1 N E Tel & Tel(8)	148	148	148
3 N Hav Clock(1¾g)	19½	18	19½
5 N M & Ariz Ld	3½	3¼	3½
9 Newmont Min (4a)	125	113½	113½
5 Newport	25	25	25
2 N Y Invest (1.20)	24¼	24	24
28 N Y Invest war	1⅛	1	1
25 NY P&L 7%pf(7)AS	106	106	106
25 NYT 6½%pf(6½)AS	114¼	114¼	114¼
235 Niag Hud Pow(.40)	12¾	12⅜	12⅜
25 Niag Hud P A war	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
21 Niag Hud P B war	6¾	6½	6¾
7 Niles Bem Pond	28¾	28¼	28½
2 Nipissing Min (.30)	1¾	1¾	1¾
1 Noma Elec (1.60)	14½	14½	14½
3 Noranda Mines (3)	34¾	34¼	34¼
46 N Am Aviation	4⅞	4⅜	4¾
99 N Am Cement	3½	3	3
2 N Am Util Sec	6½	6½	6½
1 N States Pow, A(8)	168¾	168¾	168¾
1 Novadel Agene(3)	22½	22½	22½
O			
12 Ohio Cop	1¼	1¼	1¼
3 Oil Stocks, A(⅛g)	9½	9⅛	9¼
2 Orange Crush (1½)	28⅛	28	28⅛
2 Otis Elevator new	67⅞	67½	67⅝
1 Out Mot, A(1.80)	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
1 Outboard Mot, B	4⅞	4⅜	4⅜
3 Overseas Sec (1)	20	20	20
P			
7 P G&E 1st pf(1½)	26½	26¼	26¼
3 Pacific West Oil	14⅜	14	14
7 Pandem Oil	⅝	⅝	⅝
5 Pantepec Oil Venez	3½	3	3½
7 Param Cab (2.40)	14½	14⅜	14⅜
250 Parker Pen (2½)AS	37	37	37
102 Pennroad Corp	14¾	14	14⅛
1 Penn G&E A (1½)	18	18	18
80 PennOhEd 6%pf(6)	96½	96	96½
1 Peoples Drug St (1)	51	51	51
120 Pepperell Mfg (8)AS	95	93½	95
37 Petroleum Corp(1½)	21	20½	20⅝
10 Philip Morris	⅝	⅝	⅝
2 Philip Morris A	4¼	4¼	4¼
32 Pilot Radio A (1.20)	11¾	11½	11¾
10 PitneyBowes nw(.20)	10¾	10⅜	10⅜
2 Pitts Lake Er Ry (5)	117	116¾	116¾
1 Pitts Pl Glass (3g)	50	50	50
2 Plymouth Oil (2)	29½	29½	29½
8 PolymetMfg (1a)XD	15	14½	15
1 Powdre&Alex (4½g)	70	70	70
2 Premier Gold (.24)	1½	1½	1½
125 Prince & Whitely	12⅜	11	11⅞
66 Prince&Whitel pf(3)	40⅜	38¾	38⅜
14 Prudential Invest	15½	15⅜	15½
25 Pub Util Holding Co	17½	17	17½
R			
50 Ry&Lt Sec (4g) AS	67	67	67
3 Rainbow L Prod A	12½	11

30TH ANNIVERSARY AT UNION TRUST CO.

Five of Original Directors and Firm's President Are Still Alive.

MEEHAN'S SUCCESS TOLD

By THOMAS M. CAHILL.

Thirty years of successful service were completed yesterday by the Union Trust Co., five of the original directors of which are still living. They are Joseph H. Cranford, George E. Hamilton, Walter S. Harban, James B. Lambie and Edward J. Stellwagen, president of the company, who has held that position since the founding of the institution.

The company, located at the southwest corner of Fifteenth and H street northwest, has grown steadily and substantially, maintaing checking, savings, safe deposit, trust, investment and foreign exchange departments. Its deposits as of October 4, date of the last call of the Comptroller of the Currency, were $9,471,207.67, with $2,000,000 capital stock and $500,000 surplus. The company's building is considered architecturally one of the most handsome bank buildings in the city and the structure was doubled in size in 1928.

Union Trust's Officers.

Besides President Stellwagen, the officers are George E. Hamilton, vice president, attorney and trust officer; George E. Fleming, vice president and assistant trust officer; Walter S. Harban, vice president; Edson B. Olds, vice president and treasurer; Edward L. Hillyer, vice president and second assistant trust officer; Irving Zirpel, secretary and third assistant trust officer; W. Frank D. Herron, S. William Miller, G. Elmer Flather, assistand treasurers; William S. Lyons, assistant secretary; George E. Hamilton, jr., assistant attorney.

The directorate is composed of A. L. Baldwin, J. Harry Covington, Joseph H. Cranford, G. Thomas Dunlop, George E. Fleming, George E. Hamilton, John H. Hanna, Walter S. Harban, Frank C. Henry, Edward L. Hillyer, John C. Hoyt, D. J. Kaufman, A. S. Kenny, James B. Lambie, George H. Myers, H. C. Newcomer, Daniel W. O'Donoghue, D. S. Porter, Ord Preston, John H. Small, Luther F. Speer, Edward J. Stellwagen and Charles F. Wilson.

M. J. Meehan, head of M. J. Meehan & Co., with local offices, attributes his rise as a successful broker to the connections he made when he was manager of McBride's downtown ticker agency in New York City, according to an interesting biography of Meehan by Earl Sparling, published in the New York Telegram.

From Shows to Stocks.

"More than one banker and broker," writes Sparling, "who took his advice then on what was a good show to see took his advice in 1928 on what was a good stock to buy. He got tips from the mighty in the old days in exchange for good seats and made enough money to branch out as a curb broker."

In two years he built up one of the largest commission houses on the curb and had accumulated enough capital to pay $90,000 for his stock exchange seat. In 10 years, Meehan, described in the article as "Radio's first bull," had amassed from $5,000,000 to $25,000,000 and secured eight exchange seats, the largest number ever held by a commission house.

His local office in the Washington Hotel Building, of which Frank J. F. Thiel, former Assistant Treasurer of the United States and a resident partner in the company, is in charge, is considered one of the most beautiful brokerage offices in the country.

District Bond Sales Rally.

After a slight rally in the bond division Tuesday, business in both divisions of the Washington Stock Exchange receded yesterday, the bond aggregate falling off $1,700 to $3,100 and the stock turnover declining 303 shares to 98.

The largest stock sale was in Potomac Electric 5½ preferred, 32 shares of this changing hands at fractional advances from 104½ with a single sale at the latter figure. Three bank stocks were out; ten of Commercial moving at 255, last sale figure; ten of Federal American at 295, three-point gain, and eight of Riggs at 530, latest level.

"I am not a prophet," said Gen. R. E. Wood, president of Sears, Roebuck & Co., when asked yesterday for his opinion on the 1930 business outlook. Gen. Wood on a routine visit of inspection to local stores of the company, said that business locally is up to expectations.

He said there were no new developments in the proposed merger with the Penney chain, which would result in a half-billion-dollar concern and the largest retail establishment in the world.

Officers of Liberty Laundry.

All officers and directors of the Liberty Laundry Co., of the District of Columbia, were reelected at the annual meeting of stockholders held yesterday in the Union Trust Building. They are James B. Lambie, president; William J. Flather, vice president; Edward L. Hillyer, secretary and treasurer; William L. Miller, assistant secretary and assistant treasurer. Besides the foregoing, Frank C. Henry, Frank S. Hight and L. Lee Combs are also directors. The company declared the usual quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent.

Mackubin, Goodrich & Co., with local offices, are bankers for the Houston Natural Gas Corporation and have announced a $600,000 issue for that concern of $600,000 first mortgage collateral 6 per cent gold bonds (with stock purchase warrants).

Houston Pipe Line Co. and Houston Natural Gas Co. have made rapid headway, due to the wider scope of natural-gas use. Growth of Houston Natural Gas was made evident by an official statement that the number of meters installed in Texas centers by the company, which is opening up new territory, had more than doubled during the year.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Lincoln Investment Corporation, held at the offices of the company in the American Building, it was voted that the regular quarterly dividend of 1 1-2 per cent on preferred stock outstanding as of December 18, be paid to stockholders of record. A dividend of 25c per share was voted on the common stock. The dividends are payable January 1.

Bituminous Coal Report.

According to the weekly estimate of the National Coal Association, about 11,900,000 net tons of bituminous coal were mined in the United States during the week ended December 14. This is the largest quantity of bituminous coal produced in any week since last February.

The quantity mined during the weeks ended November 30 and December 7, as reported by the United States Bureau of Mines, was 9,931,000 net tons and 11,679,000 net tons, respectively.

BOND SALES ON NEW YORK EXCHANGE

(Reported direct from the New York Stock Exchange by J. & W. Seligman & Co.)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WAR LOANS.
The following sales are given in lots of $1,000.
Quotations in dollars and 32ds of a dollar.

Sale	Issue	Open	High	Low	Last
1	Liberty 3½s	99 9	99.9	99.9	99.9
37	Liberty 1st 4¼s	100.30	100.30	100.29	100.30
119	Liberty 4th 4¼s	101.11	101.13	101.9	101.10
	U S G 4¼s	111.10	111.10	111.10	111.10
133	U S G 4s	107.6	107.10	107.6	107.6
25	U S G 3¾s	104.18	104.18	104.18	104.18
182	U S G 3¼s, 1943	100	100	99.21	99.23
102	U S G 3¼s, 1947	99.30	99.30	99.21	99.24

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Sale	Issue	Open	High	Low	Last
	A				
3	Akershus, Dept of, 5s, 1963	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾
1	Antioquia, Dept of, A7s, 1945	79½	79½	79½	79½
2	Antioquia, Dept of, B-7s, 1945	78	78	78	78
4	Antioquia, Dept of, 1st 7s, 1957	75	75	74¾	74¾
1	Antioquia, Dept of, 2d 7s, 1957	75	75	75	75
2	Antioquia, Dept of, 3d 7s, 1957	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾
120	Argentine Govt 6s, ser A, 1957	95¼	95¾	92¼	92¼
12	Argentine Govt 6s, ser B, 1958	95	95	91	91
28	Argentine Govt 6s, June, 1959	95½	96	90	91½
28	Argentine Govt 6s, Oct, 1959	95¾	95¾	92½	92½
28	Argentine Govt 6s, May, 1960	95¼	95¼	92	92
7	Argentine Govt 6s, Oct, 1960	96	96	92	92
35	Argentine Govt 6s, Sept, 1960	95	95	90	90
9	Argentine Govt 6s, Feb, 1961	94¾	94¾	90½	90½
10	Argentine Govt 6s, May, 1961	94	94	90¼	90½
7	Argentine Govt 5½s, 1962	90	90	90	90
5	Argentine Govt 5s, 1945	90¼	90¼	90¼	90¼
17	Australia 5s, 1955	92½	92½	92¼	92½
8	Australia 5s, 1957	92	92	91	91
12	Australia 4½s, 1956	83¾	84	83	83
2	Austrian Govt 7s, 1943	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
	B				
1	Bavaria, King of, 6½s, 1945	95	95	93	95
22	Belgium, King of, 6s, 1955	101¼	101½	100¾	100¾
5	Belgium, King of, 6½s, 1949	105½	105½	105¼	105½
7	Belgium, King of, 7½s, 1945	116	116¼	115¾	115¾
53	Belgium, King of, 7s, 1955	108¼	108¼	108¾	108¾
28	Belgium, King of, 7s, 1956	106¼	106½	106¼	106¾
2	Belgium, King of, 8s, 1941	110½	110½	110¼	110¼
3	Bergen, City of, 6s, 1949	100¾	100¾	100	100
1	Berlin 6½s, 1950	94¼	94¼	94	94¼
1	Berlin 6s, 1958	90	90	90	90
18	Bolivia 7s, 1958	93½	93½	92	92
18	Bolivia 7s, 1958, ct	80	80¾	80	80¾
13	Bolivia 7s, 1958, ct	80¼	80¼	80¼	80¼
6	Bordeaux, City of, 6s, 1934	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
5	Brazil, U S of, 7s, 1952	88¼	88¼	87½	87½
35	Brazil, U S of, 6½s, 1926-57	75¼	76	75¾	75¼
10	Brazil, U S of, 6½s, 1927-57	75½	75¾	75	75½
2	Brazil, U S of, 7½s, 1952	100	100	100	100
30	Brazil, U S of, 8s, 1941	97	97	96	96½
6	Bremen, State of, 7s, 1935	99¾	100	99¾	100
2	Brisbane, City of, 5s, 1958	88¾	88¾	88¾	88¾
2	Budapest, City of, 6s, 1962	98	98	98	98
1	Buenos Aires, City of, 6s, 1960.Apr	96	96	96	96
2	Buenos Aires, City of, 6s, 1960. Oct.	85	87¾	83¾	83¾
28	Buenos Aires, Prov of, 6s, 1961	74½	74½	74½	74½
8	Bulgaria, King of, 7s, 1967				
	C				
2	Caldas, Dept of, 7½s, 1946	83¾	83¾	82¼	82½
5	Canada, Dom of, 5s, 1931	100¾	100¾	100½	100½
13	Canada, Dom of, 5s, 1952	102½	103½	102	103½
1	Canada, Dom of, 4½s, 1936	99	99	99	99
1	Carlsbad, City of, 8s, 1954	104	104	104	104
3	Cauca Valley, Rep of, 7½s, 1946	87¾	87¾	87	87
47	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1960	91¾	91¾	90½	90½
10	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1961	90	90½	89	89
10	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1961, Jan	91½	91½	90¾	90¾
9	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1961, Jan	104½	104½	103	103½
10	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1961, Sept	88¾	88¾	88¾	88¾
3	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1962	89½	89½	88¾	88¾
3	Chile, Rep of, 7s, 1942	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
2	Chinese Govt 5s, 1951	25	25	25	25
2	Cologne, City of, 6½s, 1950	94¼	94¼	94¼	94¼
22	Colombia, Rep of, 6s, 1961, Jan	73	73	70	70
20	Colombia, Rep of, 6s, 1961, Oct	73¾	73¾	70	70
1	Cordoba, City of, 7s, 1937	90	90	90	90
1	Cordoba, City of, 7s, 1957, ct	91	91	91	91
8	Cordoba, Prov of, 7s, 1942	96¾	96¾	96	96
4	Costa Rica, Rep of, 7s, 1951	86½	86½	86½	86½
1	Cuba, Rep of, 5½s, 1953	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
10	Cundinamarca, Dept of, 6½s, 1959	89	89	89	89
2	Czechoslovakia, Rep of, 8s, 1951	109	109	109	109
3	Czechoslovakia, Rep of, 8s, 1952	109	109	109	109
	D				
3	Denmark, King of, 6s, 1942	104½	104½	104½	104½
2	Denmark, King of, 5½s, 1955	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
11	Denmark, King of, 4½s, 1962	90¾	90½	90¼	90½
11	Denmark, King of, 4½s, 1962	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
1	Danish Mun 8s, ser A, 1946	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
1	Danish Mun 8s, ser B, 1946	96	96	96	96
1	Dresden, City of, 7s, 1945	101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾
1	Dutch E India 6s, 1947	101½	101¾	101½	101¾
6	Dutch E India 6s, 1962	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
10	Dutch Ea India 5½s, 1953, Mar	101½	101½	101½	101½
2	Dutch East Indies 5½s, 1953, Nov				
	E				
1	Estonia, Rep of, 7s, 1967	76½	76½	76½	76½
	F				
7	Finland, Rep of, 5½s, 1958	84¼	84¼	84	84
8	Finland, Rep of, 6½s, 1945	89	89	89	89
2	Finland, Rep of, 7s, 1950	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
19	Finnish Govt 6½s, 1954, A	92½	92½	91	91½
26	French Govt 7½s, 1941	117½	117¾	117½	117¾
37	French Govt 7s, 1949	111	111	110¾	110¾
	G				
24	German Govt 7s, 1949	106¼	106¼	106¼	106¼
2	Greek Govt 7s, 1964	98¼	98¼	98¼	98¼
3	Greek Govt 6s, 1968	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾
	H				
10	Hamburg, State of, 6s, 1946	94½	94½	94½	94½
3	Hungarian Con Mun 7s, 1945	86½	86½	86½	86½
25	Hungarian Land Mtge 7½s, 1961, A	92½	92½	92½	92½
	Hungary, King of, 7½s, 1944	100½	100½	100½	100½
	I				
3	Irish Free State 5s, 1960	97	97	97	97
32	Italy, King of, 7s, 1951	94½	94½	94¼	94½
	J				
24	Japanese 6½s, 1954	101¾	102	101	101½
3	Japanese Ster 4s, 1931	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
2	Jugoslavia Bank 7s, 1947	77¼	77¼	77¼	77¼
	L				
6	Lyons, City of, 6s, 1934	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
	M				
2	Marseilles, City of, 6s, 1934	103	103	102¾	102¾
14	Medellin, Municipality of, 6½s, 1954	68½	68½	65	65
10	Mexico, U S of, 4s, 1910, small	10½	10½	10½	10½
10	Mexico, U S of, 4s, 1910, large	12	12	12	12
20	Milan, City of, 6½s, 1952	85	85½	85	85
32	Minas Geraes 6½s, 1958	79	79	75½	75½
	N				
3	New South Wales 5s, 1958	89½	90	89½	90
22	Norway, King of, 5s, 1963	96¾	96½	96¼	96½
3	Norway, King of, 5½s, 1965	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
1	Norway, King of, 6s, 1943	103¼	103¼	103¼	103¼
5	Norway, King of, 6s, 1944	103	103½	102¾	102¾
15	Norway, King of, 6s, 1952	102	102¾	102	102¾
7	Nuremburg, City of, 6s, 1952	84	84	84	84
	O				
1	Oslo, City of, 6s, 1955	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
	P				
9	Panama, Rep of, 5s, 1963	92	92	90¾	90¾
19	Peru 6s, 1960	77	77½	77	77½
17	Peru 6s, 1961	77½	78	77¾	78
8	Peru 7s, 1959	94	94	94	94
1	Poland 8s, 1950	91	91	91	91
3	Poland 7½s, 1947	80¼	80¾	80¼	80¼
4	Poland 6s, 1940	77¾	77¾	77¾	77¾
4	Porto Allegre, City of, 7½s, 1966	91½	91½	91½	91½
3	Prague, City of, 7½s, 1952	103½	103½	103½	103½
	Q				
3	Queensland, State of, 6s, 1947	102½	103½	102½	103½
1	Queensland, State of, 7s, 1941	108½	108½	108½	108½
	R				
2	Rio de J. City of, 8s, 1946	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾
24	Rio de J. City of, 6½s, 1953	76¾	78½	76¾	78½
6	Rio Gr do sul, St of, 8s, 1946	99	99	99	99
1	Rio Gr Sul, St of, 7s, 1966	80	80	80	80
8	Rio Gr do Sul, St of, 6s, 1968	70	70	70	70
8	Rio Gr do Sul, St of, 7s, 1967	79	79	79	79
1	Rio Gr do Sul, St of, 7s, 1967	88	88½	88	88½
16	Rome, City of, 6½s, 1952				
	S				
27	Santa Fe, Prov of, 7s, 1942	94¾	94¾	92	92¼
13	Sao Paulo, City of, 8s, 1952	99¾	101	99	99
1	Sao Paulo, City of, 6½s, 1967	80¼	80¼	80	80¼
9	Sao Paulo, State of, 6s, 1968	72	72¾	70	70
9	Sao Paulo, State of, 7s, 1936	85	86	85	85½
1	Sao Paulo, State of, 7s, 1936	97	97	97	97
1	Sao Paulo, State of, 8s, 1950	94	94	92¾	93½
20	Sao Paulo, State of, 8s, 1950	107¾	108	107¾	108
34	Seine, Dept of, 7s, 1956	88¼	88¼	88¼	88¼
6	Serbs, C & S, King of, 8s, 1962	77	77	77	77
16	Serbs, C & S, King of, 7s, 1962	73	73	72½	72½
7	Silesia, Prov of, 7s, 1958	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
1	Soissons, City of, 6s, 1936	86¼	86½	86½	86½
1	Syria, Prov of, 7s, 1946	104¼	104½	104¼	104½
2	Sweden, King of, 5½s, 1954	102	102	102	102
2	Sweden, King of, 6s, 1939	103½	104	103½	104
25	Switzerland, Govt of, 5½s, 1949	108¾	108¾	108¾	108¾
7	Switzerland, Govt of, 8s, 1940				
	U				
11	U K Gt B & I 5½s, 1937	102¾	103	102¾	102¾
11	Uruguay, Rep of, 6s, 1960	96½	96¼	96	96
	V				
1	Venetian Prov Mtg Bank 7s, 1952	88	88	88	88
7	Vienna, City of, 6s, 1952	84½	85	84¾	85
	W				
4	Warsaw 7s, 1958	76½	76½	76½	76½
	Y				
1	Yokohama, City of, 6s, 1961	95½	95½	93½	95½

DOMESTIC BONDS—RAILS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Sale	Issue	Open	High	Low	Last
	A				
15	Abitibi Power & Paper 5s, 1953	83¾	83½	83¾	83½
4	Agri Mtge Bank 6s, 1947	70	70	70	70
5	Agri Mtge Bank 6s, 1948	68	68	68	68
33	Allegheny Corp 5s, 1944	100¼	100¼	100	100¼
12	Allegheny Corp 5s, 1949	100	100¼	100	100¼
1	Allis-Chalmers 5s, 1937	99½	99½	99½	99½
17	Amer I G Chem 5½s, 1949	103¼	103½	103	103½
11	Amer Internat 5½s, 1949	95½	95½	94½	95½
11	Amer Nat Gas 6½s, 1942	77	77½	77	77½
36	Amer Smelt 5s, 1947	100¾	100¾	100¼	100¼
3	Amer Sugar Ref 6s, 1937	103½	103½	103	103
337	Amer Tel & Tel 4½s, 1939	140	141½	138	139½
5	Amer T & T col tr 5s, 1946	103½	103¾	103¼	103½
15	Amer T & T col 5½s, 1943	107	107¼	107	107¼
12	Amer Tel & Tel 5s, 1960	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
19	Amer Water Works 5s, 1934	100¾	101	100½	101
1	Amer Water Works 6s, 1975	105½	105½	105½	105½
10	Antilla Sugar 7½s, 1939	50	50	50	50
3	Armour & Co 4½s, 1939	80	80¾	80	80¼
9	Armour & Co of Del 5½s, 1943	84	84	83	83
54	At T & S F gen 4s, 1995	93¾	94	93¾	94
1	At T & S F 4½s, 1998	130½	130½	130½	130½
6	At T & S F 4s, 1909-1955	88	88	88	88
1	At T & S F Ariz Div 4½s, 1962	97	97	97	97
3	Atlantic Coast Line 4s, 1952	94	94	94	94
	B				
5	Baldwin Locomotive 5s, 1940	100½	100½	100½	100½
7	B & O 1st 4s, 1948	92¼	92½	92½	92½
18	B & O cvt 4½s, 1933	99½	99½	99¼	99¼
24	B & O ref & gen 5s, 1995	102¼	102	101¾	101¾
11	B & O ref 6s, 1995	109	109	109	109
9	B & O (T & C) 4s, 1959	85	85½	85	85½
7	B & O 5s, ser D, 2000	103¼	103½	103¼	103½
9	Batavian Petroleum 4½s, 1942	93¼	93½	93¼	93½
7	Bell Tel of Pa 5s, ser C, 1960	105½	105½	105½	105½
1	Bell Tel of Pa 5s, ser B, 1948	104½	104½	104½	104½
10	Berlin Elec Elev 6½s, 1956	86¾	86¾	86	86
9	Berlin City Elec 6½s, 1951	89¼	89¼	89	89
1	Berlin City Elec 6½s, 1959	88½	88½	88½	88½
10	Brazil, U S of, 7½s, 1952	105½	105½	105½	105½
13	Beth Steel 5½s, 1953	104¾	105	104¾	105
13	Beth Steel 6s, 1948	101½	101½	101½	101½
1	Beth Steel ref 5s, 1942	103½	104	103½	104
10	Bklyn Edis Sn, A, 1949	100	100	100	100
2	Bklyn Edison 6s, B, 1950	95	95	94¾	95
9	Bklyn Man Tran 6s, 1968	83¾	84	83½	84
3	Bklyn Union El 5s, 1950	102¼	102½	102½	102½
2	By-Prod Coke 5½s, 1945				
	C				
1	California Petrol 5½s, 1938	98¼	98¼	98¼	98¼
1	California Petrol 5s, 1939	94	94	94	94
10	Canadian Nat 4½s, 1954	94	94½	94	94½
4	Canadian Natl 4½s, 1968	94½	94½	94¼	94¼
7	Canadian Natl 5s, std 1944	100½	100¾	100½	100¾
11	Canadian Pac deb 4s	85	85	84½	84½
6	Canadian Pac 5s, 1944	101½	101½	101½	101½
14	Central Pacific 1st 4s, 1949	91½	92	91½	92
8	Central Pacific 5s, 1960	102	102	101¾	101¾
9	Certainteed Prod 5½s, 1948	60	60	60	60
7	Ches & O gen 4½s, 1992	98½	98½	98½	98½
5	Ches & O cvt 4½s, 1930	99½	99¾	99¾	99¾
28	Ches & Ohio 4½s, 1993	95¾	96	95¾	95¾
1	Ches & Corporation 5s, 1947	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾
1	C B & Q gen 4s, 1958	92½	92¾	92¾	92¾
2	C B & Q 1st ref 5s, 1971	105	105	105	105
1	C B & Q (Ill Div) 4s, 1949	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾
2	C & E Ill 1st cons g 5s, 1951	73	73	73	73
1	Chi Great West 1st 4s, 1959	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
43	C M St P & Pac 5s, 1975	73	73¼	73	73¼
278	C M St P & Pac a/s 5s, 2000	73½	73¾	73¼	73¼
5	Chi & N W 4½s, 2037	96	96	96	96
55	Chi & N W 4½s, 1949 cv	100	100½	100	100½
75	Chi R I & P ref 4s, 1934	95½	95¾	95½	95¾
8	Chi, R I & P 4½s, 1952	93¾	93½	93¾	93½
16	Chile Copper 5s, 1947	95	95	94¾	95
2	C C C & St L g 4s, 1993	89	89	88	89
15	Columbia Gas & El 5s, 1953 May	99¾	100	99¾	100
15	Columbia Gas & El 5s, 1951, April	99¾	99¾	99½	99½
13	Commercial Invest 6s, 1948	94¾	95	94¾	95
9	Commercial Inv 5½s, 1949	84	84	84	84
10	Consolidated Gas N Y 5½s, 1945	105	106	105	105½
2	Cons Coal of Md 1st 5s, 1950	60¾	61	60¾	61
1	Container Corp of Am 6s, 1946	92½	92½	92½	92½
1	Container Corp of Am 5s, 1943	79	80	79	80
9	Crown Williamette Paper Co 1951	100	101½	100	101½
10	Cuba Cane Sugar cvt 7s, 1930	39¾	39¾	39½	39½
1	Cuba Ry 1st ln & r 7½s, 1936	98¼	98¼	98¼	98¼
	D				
25	Dela & Hudson 5½s, 1937	104	104	104	104
20	Den & R Gr & West 5s, 1978	88¼	88¼	88¼	88¼
1	Den R Gr & West 5s, 1955	92½	92½	92½	92½
1	Detroit Ed 1st 5s, 1933	103	103	103	103
11	Detroit Ed ser A 5s, 1949	101¾	101¾	101½	101¾
4	Detroit Ed 1st & ref 5s, 1940	103	103	103	103
5	Detroit Ed 1st & ref 6s, 1940	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
7	Dodge Bros 6s, 1940	103¼	103¾	103¼	103¾
8	Duke-Price Pow 8s, 1966	98¾	99	98¾	99
3	Duquesne Light 4½s, 1967				
	E				
3	Edith Rock-McCormick 6s, 1934	100¾	100¾	100¼	100¼
2	Erie gold 4s, B, 1953	82	82	82	82
33	Erie R R 5s, 1967	96¾	96¾	96½	96¾
2	Erie R R—Pa col gd 4s, 1951	101	101	101	101
9	Erie & Jersey 1st 6s, 1955	112	112	112	112
1	Erie 1st cons ext 7s, 1930	101½	101½	101½	101½
	F				
1	Fisk Rubber Co 8s, 1941	84½	84½	84½	84½
6	Fla East Coast 1st & rf 5s, 1974	52	52¾	52	52¾
5	Framerican Ind Dev 7½s, 1942	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾
	G				
5	General Cable 5½s, 1947	99¼	99¼	99¼	99¼
15	General Motors Accep 6s, 1937	102	102	101¾	101¾
6	Gen Public Service 5½s, 1939	93	93½	93	93½
1	Gen Steel Casting 5½s, 1949	101½	101½	101½	101½
1	German Cen Agri Bk 7s, 1950	92¼	92¼	92	92¼
1	German Cen Agri Bk 6s, 1960, July	78¼	78¾	78½	78½
1	German Cen Ag Bk 6s, 1960, Oct	78¼	79	78½	78½
1	German Cen Ag Bank 6s, 1938	85¼	85¼	85¼	85¼
1	German Gen El 6½s, 1940, x-war	97	97	97	97
7	Goodyear T & R 5s, 1957	91¾	91¾	91¼	91¾
6	Grand Trunk of Can deb 6s, 1936	104¼	104¾	104	104
11	Grand Trunk of Can deb 7s, 1940	106¾	106¾	109¼	109¼
2	Great Nor 1st 4½s, 1961	95	95	95	95
9	Great Nor 1st 5s, 1952	105½	105½	105½	105½
2	Great Nor 5½s, 1952	108½	108½	108¼	108¼
13	Great Nor 7s, 1936	110	110¼	110	110¼
3	Great Nor 4½s, Ser E, 1977	97	97	97	97
1	Gulf States Steel 5½s, 1952	99	99	99	99
	H				
3	Havana Elect 5s, 1952	84	84	84	101
3	Hudson Coal Co 5s, 1962	101	101	101	101
2	H & M 1st & ref 5s, A, 1957	96¼	96¼	96¼	96¼
4	H & M adj inc 5s, 1957	77½	77½	77½	77½
20	Humble Oil 5½s, 1932	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
7	Humble Oil 5s, 1937	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
	I				
4	Ill Cent ref 4s, 1955	91¼	91¼	91¼	91¼
1	Ill Cent 4¾s, 1966	98¼	98¼	98¼	98¼
32	Interb R T ref 5s, 1966	60¼	60¾	60¼	62
46	Interb R T ref

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CATHOLIC U. BEATS MARYLAND NORMAL FIVE, 22-20

FORMAL BOUTS TOUGH ON TOUGHS

By WESTBROOK PEGLER

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Under formal conditions in the ring, the performance of the two pleasure fighters, Arthur Shires and George Trafton, the one a baseball player, the other a pro in football, was graphic proof of your correspondent's favorite contention that the most ferocious of the poolroom, backroom and hotelroom gladiators cannot fight without such natural weapons as the chairleg, the broken cue, the stone seidel and the half-emptied Scotch bottle. By all accounts, these two athletes, victors in many extemporaneous social quarrels with rumfoundered or wind-broken opponents, came out of their corners swinging like a pair of truckmen under a viaduct and faded so quickly that by the end of round three, a 95-pound fry cook with an aggravated cough might have hopped through the ropes and pushed over the two of them.

These high-spirited boys had come to be known as the most formidable pleasure-fighters in the country, mainly because they are the most garrulous, and it must be conceded that, as pleasure-fighters go, they were in the top flight, from which it follows that the average man's sense of skill and might with his fists is only a pathetic delusion.

Pleasure Fighters
Pick Opponents.

Mr. Shires had maltreated the unhappy Lena Blackburne, late manager of the White Sox, in two unconventional bouts and Mr. Trafton, who weighs about 35 pounds more than either of the last two heavyweight champions, had won many free-style matches with unidentified parties who had offended his sensitive pride on street cars, in night clubs and in one place and another.

In pleasure-fighting, as in prize fighting, reputations are achieved by a judicious selection of one's opponents and canny exploitation of one's victories, however undistinguished they may have been, and the combatants in the interesting experiment conducted by Mr. James (Moon) Mullen, in Chicago, were nominated on records which could not have survived critical examination.

Mr. Blackburne, the favorite victim of Mr. Shires' uncertain temper, merely did what he could to defend himself under a handicap of fifteen years and, possibly, 20 pounds. Obviously, Mr. Trafton did not encounter many opponents who weighted within 50 pounds of his own 218, because he is of what the people in the gents' ready-to-wear department would describe as an out-size.

Rudeness Is Token of
Pleasure Fighting.

The pleasure-fighting temperament is a peculiar one, for it bespeaks rude and brawling nature, and there is no doubt that in the reluctance of many otherwise courageous males to roll among the rinds of ham-rye sandwiches and the eggshells and cigar butts on the floor of a saloon there is more of civilized delicacy and good taste than of timidity. I recollect a brief scene in the cardroom of Sir Thomas Lipton's steamboat, temporarily known as the Ark because of the heterogeneous social mixture which he had bidden on board to ghost along the glycerine swell off Sandy Hook, following his Shamrock IV during the last series of drifting races for the America's cup.

In this yard room a talky young man somehow gave offense to one of the chaps in a bridge game, who suddenly rose up, kicked over his chair and threatened to hit this kibitzer a smash on his nose. At this, the party of the first part stuck his hands in his pockets and walked out on deck, whistling.

One man looked to another around the table in the ensuing silence, and all were pained and humiliated for the boy who had taken the insult and walked off.

"There is no doubt that he is yellow," one of the players said, after a time. "I happen to know that he fought three years in the infantry with the Foreign Legion, got hit twice and won the Medaille Militaire and the Croix de Guerre, but when a real fight develops the kid just isn't there."

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Cadets Cheer Grid Team's Departure

110 Players Take Off for Stanford Game at Palo Alto.

2 Plebes, Failing in Studies, Forced to Forego Trip.

WEST POINT, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Carrying 110 players on Army's first football invasion of the Far West, the "West Point Special" steamed away this afternoon, bound for Palo Alto, Calif., where the football season will be closed with a game with Stanford, December 28.

The football players were cheered on their way by 500 cadets who were left behind, the vocal encouragement being made possible by a last minute reversal by Maj. Gen. M. B. Smith, the superintendent, of a previous order. Gen. Smith had ruled that the cadets could not be present at the departure on account of examinations, but relaxed later to the extent that 500 who were free for most of the afternoon could send a hearty cheer ringing clear about the little West Point station as the train pulled away.

Deficient Plebes
Remain at Point.

There were two football players who found little joy in the occasion. Letzelter, former Carnegie Tech back, and O'Reilly, a lineman, members of the Plebe Squad, fell short of passing marks in English in the December examinations and were not permitted to make the trip.

The plebe or freshman team will furnish the practice opposition for the varsity along the way. Neither Letzelter nor O'Reilly could have played against Stanford, but had they not flunked the English writs they would have had the trip to the Pacific Coast as a reward for conscientious work on the plebe team during the season.

Galesburg to Be
First Stop.

Letzelter made a grade of 1.9 when the passing grade is 2.2. Perfect is 3.0. O'Reilly scored 1.5 in the same examination. The ill luck of this pair was good luck for three plebe players, for Watters, Underhill and Seridan were named to take their places in the party.

The first stop of the special train was to be made at Syracuse. At Galesburg, Ill., tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock a practice will be held. The party leaving this afternoon numbered 140, including 110 varsity, scrub and plebe players.

Galesburg, Ill., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The Army may be just another football team to old New York, but not to Galesburg.

When the Army gridiron warriors, en route to California for a game with Stanford, stop off here tomorrow afternoon for a brief workout, they will be guests of honor. Mayor Max J. Mack, Chamber of Commerce officials, Presidents Albert Britt, of Knox, and George Davis, of Lombard Colleges, and local officers of the reserve corps will meet the team and escort it to the Knox Field where practice will be held.

While the team is drilling, Maj. Gen. William R. Smith, superintendent of the Military Academy, and his staff officers will be honored at a reception at Seymour Hall, the men's dormitory at Knox.

Knox Field is well sodded and has been protected by a thick covering of straw for several weeks. The straw will be removed for the Cadets so they can get the most out of their workout.

CUBS RELEASE PITCHER.

Chicago, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The Cubs today ordered Kenneth Penner, right-handed pitcher, to report to Louisville of the American Association, as part of the deal for Pitcher Malcolm Moss, who was sold to the Cubs recently.

G. W.'s Coach To Revamp Five

Experimental Line-Up Faces Baltimore U. Tomorrow.

New Berths for Grey and Harris, With 3 Benched.

A GENERAL revamping of the George Washington Five has been decided upon by its youthful, energetic coach, Joe Mitchell. When the Colonials take the floor against Baltimore University tomorrow night at the H street Gymnasium in their second game of the season, Capt. Bob Gray and George Harris will be in new positions, with Bill Hoover, John Thacker and John Perry, all of whom started in the inaugural Tuesday night, on the bench.

Mitchell's changes will be of an experimental nature, he said, and will not signify the permanent first-string line-up. Not until after three or four more games have been played, will he definitely determine the make-up of the regular combination.

According to Mitchell's plans, the Colonials will start as follows: Irving Fine and Max Jeweler, forwards; Gray, center, and Dick Castell and Harris, guards. Fine, Jeweler and Castell all saw action in substitute roles against Shenandoah in the opening game. It was their combined offensive work that enabled G. W. to win. Gray and Harris played at guard and forward, respectively, in the opener.

Weight, Height Sacrificed
For Speed.

The new line-up has comparatively little weight and height, but packs plenty of speed and fighting spirit, which, coupled with smart headwork, will prove sufficient to give Baltimore a hard battle, in Mitchell's opinion.

Gallaudet's quintet also will perform tomorrow night, entertaining its old rival, Arnold College, of Connecticut, on the Kendall Green floor. Coach Walter Krug's charges will be out to register victory No. 2. They defeated Benjamin Franklin in their first game last Saturday.

Cards Sign Kaufmann, Released by Giants

St. Louis, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Tony Kaufmann, former pitcher and later an outfielder, has been obtained by the St. Louis Cardinals from the New York Giants by the waiver route, it was announced today at the Cardinal business offices. Kaufmann was used as a pinch-hitter by the Giants last season. It is understood here that he wil be sent to the Rochester Club, of the International League, Cardinal farm, where he formerly played as an outfielder.

President Sam Breadon, of the St. Louis Cardinals, also announced that he has signed Ray Blades as coach to help Manager "Gabby" Street in the 1930 campaign. Blades formerly was an outfielder for the Cardinals and later coached the Rochester Club, of the International League.

Assault on Announcer Charged to Grid Star

Chicago, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—A warrant was issued by Judge Max Luster today for the arrest of William P. Fleckenstein, a member of the Chicago Bears Professional Football Team, charging him with assault and battery on Carroll "Pat" Flannigan, radio announcer of the WBBM Air Theater.

Fleckenstein is alleged to have broken Flannigan's nose during the Shires-Trafton fight at White City Monday night when he became angered at the announcer's request he stop swearing near the microphone.

"I asked him politely to move away so his cursing couldn't be heard by radio listeners, who were getting a punch-by-punch account of the fight," Flannigan said, "and he struck me several times, breaking my nose and damaging my eyes."

Fleckenstein is a former University of Iowa star.

Little's Connection At G. U. Ends Today

The term of Lou Little, for six years athletic director and head football coach of Georgetown University, expires officially tonight with the departure of Little and his wife on a vacation trip to Leominster, Mass.

While not required to take over the duties of head football coach of Columbia University, with which he recently signed, until the 1st of February, Little will represent the New York institution at the coming meeting of the Football Coaches Association in New York City.

During the month of January, Little will be in Washington making preparations to move to New York and in the meantime will be ready to advise or aid in any way possible the new Georgetown graduate manager of athletics, who is yet to be named.

Boucher to Captain 1930 Landon Eleven

Charles Hill, tackle, was named honorary captain of the 1929 Landon Football Team, and Gordon Boucher, likewise a tackle, was elected captain of the 1930 eleven at a banquet held in the school last night in honor of the football team of the past season. Letters were presented to the eleven "Iron Men" who played throughout the season without a substitution, by "Hap" Hardell, coach of the championship Tech team of the high school series. Talks were also made by Head Master Banfield, Maj. Sands and Coach Gordon Kessler, who received a belt and watch set from his players.

With the exception of Bobby Taylor, 54-inch mascot who played 15 seconds of Landon's opening game, the eleven players were in every game for the entire four quarters. The following received the "L": Captain Hill, Captain-elect Boucher, Sands, Hopkins, Hitchcock, Talbert, Hill, Hopper, Smith, Baker, Stockton, and Quinn.

EIGHT CAPTAINS ON ALL-EAST TEAM TO PLAY ON COAST

.....ciated Press Photo.

The spirit of leadership abounds on the All-East squad which will meet the team of All-West stars in the annual charity game at San Francisco on New Year's Day. Pictured above are the captains of the East and Middle West institutions they represent. Left to right: Brazil, Detroit; Cox, Colgate; Anderson, Northwestern; Edwards, Brown; Mooney, Georgetown; Tanner and Nagurski, co-captains of Minnesota, and Glasgow, Iowa.

NAVY LANDS ONE-SIDED VICTORY

Lafayette No Match as Tar Five Runs Up 58-24 Score.

Special to The Washington Post.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 18.—Naval Academy courtmen ended their pre-Yule schedule today by swamping Lafayette College, of Easton, Pa., by a 58-to-24 score. The visitors put forth a weak effort, and after Navy had rolled up a big count, made little attempt to retaliate.

Coach John N. Wilson, of Navy, started his second-stringers and they played ten minutes before the varsity came into action. The second team looked far classier than the first in both insertions, it coming back for ten more minutes in the final stanza. In the last five minutes of the game a third team relieved the varsity.

Flow of New Men Wears
Out Visitors.

Placing freshmen against Lafayette in continual stages was good strategy. The visitors, tired from their trip, found their endurance worn to a frazzle and the Middies held a whip hand all the way. Dimmerling, lanky forward and star of the team, who made 17 points against St. John's Tuesday night, collided with Big Blimp Bowstrom, Navy guard, early in the game, shaking himself up to such an extent that he never gained his eye for the net, although he stayed in almost to the finish.

Despite Navy's margin, the Tar Team was impressive only in stages, and late in the game play became rough and tumble, and at times comical. On the other hand, the Navy Team executed some beautifully timed out-of-bound plays, which aided materially in rolling up the count. Most of Navy's shots were from under the rim on rebounds.

Naval Acad.	G	FG	P	La Fayette.	G	FG	P
Freshour,rf	0	0	0	Reaser,rf	1	1	3
Keyes,lf	2	1	5	Dimmerling,lf	1	1	3
Allen,rf	5	1	11	Sullivan,rf	2	0	4
Reinhardt,lf	2	0	4	Anawalt,lf	0	0	0
J.Bauer,c	5	2	12	Haff,c	0	0	0
Colestock,c	4	0	8	Greville,c	1	0	2
Holtzworth,c	2	0	4	Gilchrist,rg	3	3	9
Lucas,rg	2	0	4	Lipitz,lg	1	1	3
Bowstrom,lg	2	2	6				
Campbell,rg	1	0	2	Totals	9	6	24
Lowrance,lg	1	0	2				
Frazier,lg	0	0	0				
Totals	26	6	58				

Navy	29	58
Lafayette	17	24

Referee—Brennan (Loyola). Umpire—Coilliflower (Georgetown).

Detroit Books Game With Iowa Eleven

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—University of Detroit athletic officials announced today that they have booked a football game with the University of Iowa here next November 1. Coach Charles E. Dorais, of the Titans, said negotiations for the game were started soon after the Iowa school was excluded from the Big Ten conference.

Lactarius Romps Home In Feature at Havana

Havana Race Track, Cuba, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Lactarius, owned by J. B. Ross, made a show of his opposition when he was asked to meet a field of six in the fifth event today. It was a claiming affair over a mile and a sixteenth and attracted a field of six. P. J. Miles' Rock Candy raced to place, with J. E. Smallman's Corposant third.

From a good break, Lactarius and Reigh Celene quickly outran the others and, rounding the first turn, Reigh Celene had a short advantage over the ultimate winner. Lactarius quickly drew away from the field in the back stretch and opened up a wide lead and galloped home the winner. Rock Candy improved his position steadily and came around the others entering the stretch to place easily, while Corposant outlasted the aged Dr. Clark for the minor portion of the purse.

WANTS SUNDAY GAME.

The Jewish Community Center Unlimited Court Team wants a game for Sunday at 5 o'clock, to be played in the Sixteenth Street Gymnasium. Interested managers should call Sol Stein at Lincoln 5159.

PLAY ON THURSDAYS.

G. P. O. Apprentices have the use of a gym on Thursdays at 8 o'clock and would like to book games. Senior and unlimited teams are asked to call Columbia 1856-W.

Comparative Scores

The comparative score system of picking winners is no more reliable in basket ball than in football, judging from the happenings on local college courts recently. American University lost to High Point by five points after having trounced Maryland State Normal by 16 points. Catholic University defeated High Point with an 8-point margin, but only outscored State Normal by two points.

HIGH FIVES IN 2 GAMES TODAY

Business - Woodward, Central-Emerson to Clash.

THE same two scholastic fives that participated in games yesterday will again be the only teams to see action today, with Business being listed to hook up with the Woodward team on the Y. M. C. A. floor at 3:30 and Central scheduled to entertain Emerson's husky quint on the Mount Pleasant floor at the same hour.

Although it had been announced that Western's combination would meet the Rockville basketers this afternoon, Coach Clifford Moore declared yesterday that the game had never been definitely arranged and would not be played today. In the light of Western's impressive showings in its games thus far, the Rockville team appears none too anxious to play the boys from across the creek, although the contest may be arranged for some later date.

In playing Central this afternoon, the Sanborn-coached outfit will be playing the first of three games with scholastic teams in the next two days.

Tomorrow afternoon, Sanborn will lead his charges over to Western to meet the Red and White aggregation at that school, and in the evening will take his squad over to Eastern High to meet the Gyonites. The night game will be one of the features of the "Alumni week" now in progress at the Lincoln Park Institution.

Records Give Emerson
Big Edge.

On comparative records, Emerson should win about as it pleases today in its clash with Bert Coggin's men To date, the Blue and White basketers have failed to impress, having dropped their last three games in a row. On the other hand, the prepmen have flashed signs of power in their few games and only last week forced Eastern to the limit before bowing.

Coach Lynn Woodworth's Stenogs should get back into their winning ways today in meeting Woodward. Without a doubt, Business has played out of its class in its last two games both of which it lost, but even then let the freshmen fives of Catholic University and George Washington know that they had been in a fight before bowing. If "Woody" can keep his team going at its present pace, four other high schools will do well to prepare for the Stenogs in the interhigh series.

Greenleaf Defeats Rudolph, 125 to 79

Detroit, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Erwin Rudolph, of Chicago, and Ralph Greenleaf, of New York, went into a tie for the world pocket billiard championship tonight, as Greenleaf defeated Rudolph, 125 to 79, in ten innings in the final game of the tournament here. They will play an extra game tomorrow night to decide the issue.

	W.	L.	HR.	BG.
E. Rudolph	6	1	111	4
R. Greenleaf	6	1	126	2
F. Taberski	4	3	57	12
M. Camp	3	4	58	22
O. Laurl	3	4	70	7
S. Livsey	3	4	40	20
P. Natalie	3	4	34	15
J. McCann	0	7	41	..

WOLVERINES TO PLAY.

The Wolverine Eleven will meet the Dot-A's at Riverdale on Sunday at 3 o'clock. An out-of-town game is desired by the Wolverines for New Year's Day. Write Manager G. E. Gerdom, 715 Kentucky avenue southeast, before December 23.

CUBAN NEGRO WINS FIGHT EASILY

Kid Chocolate Beats Dominic Petrone by Wide Margin.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Kid Chocolate, brilliant Cuban Negro featherweight, gained the referee's decision over Dominic Petrone, of New York, in a stiff ten-round bout tonight at the Coliseum. Chocolate thus overcame the strongest opposition of his current invasion of New York rings. He won by a wide margin.

Chocolate was outweighed by three pounds, coming in at 126½ pounds to 129½ for Petrone.

The Cuban had his troubles in the early rounds as Petrone came out from the start to make a fight out of it. During the first two rounds they fought toe to toe in a series of furious mixups, but the Cuban weathered the storm better and piled up a margin in the latter rounds. Petrone was the aggressor in the first two frames and made Chocolate miss frequently with his deadly right hand punches.

Dominic Groggy
By the Seventh.

The Cuban adjusted his timing after the third and pounded the New York Italian almost into helplessness before the end. The better boxer, Chocolate, evaded the heavy punching Petrone while landing frequently and effectively in the latter part of the fight. By the seventh Dominic was partly groggy and slowing up. He took several hard blows in this round that cut him about the mouth.

During the last three frames, Chocolate was never in trouble and tried only to put over a knockout punch. Petrone, staggering but game, was able to stand off the Cuban's rushes and even attempted to attack again in the tenth.

Jack Kid Berg, English welterweight, won on a foul over Tony Caragliano, of New York, tonight in the second round of their ten-round semifinal. The bout was stopped early in the second round after Berg had been struck several times by low blows. The last almost doubled him up with pain and brought Caragliano's immediate disqualification.

In another ten-rounder, Rene de Vos, of Belgium, outpointed Babe McGorgary, of Oklahoma. They both received cuts over the eyes, but the bout was slow.

Illini Court Captain Ill, Lost for a Month

Champaign, Ill., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Hopes for a championship basket ball team at the University of Illinois tonight received a severe setback when Captain Douglas (Gaga) Mills, of Elgin, Ill., was ordered by a physician to stay away from the floor for a month.

Mills, who played quarterback and halfback on the 1929 Illinois football team, has failed to regain proper physical condition since the close of the gridiron season, and was ordered out of competition by Dr. J. H. Finch, athletic association medical adviser. Dr. Finch said Mills probably would not be able to play basket ball until late in January, but might possibly regain condition by the time Illinois opens its Western conference season against Ohio State at Champaign January 6.

Mills' loss will make it necessary for Coach Craig Ruby to use another inexperienced man in the regular line-up.

St. Mary's Will Invade East, Playing Fordham

San Francisco, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The "Mighty Mikes" of St. Mary's will meet the football eleven of Fordham University at the Polo Grounds, New York City, next November 15. Negotiations for the game were completed today.

St. Mary's emerged from the 1929 season with the best record of any major football team on the coast and the best defensive showing of any college eleven in the country. The Gaels went through the season unbeaten and tied but once.

Coach "Slip" Madigan, of St. Mary's, fashions his football teams out of material from a student body of only 700. The New York game next year will be the first appearance in the East of the "Mighty Mikes."

PITT DWELLS ON DEFENSE TACTICS

Seek Means to Stop Saunders, Ace of S. California.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—How to stop the University of Southern California back field in general and Russell (Race Horse) Saunders, in particular, was the problem tackled today by the Golden Panthers of the University of Pittsburgh, who have a football engagement with the Trojans at Los Angeles on New Year's Day.

Coach Jock Sutherland drilled his undefeated proteges in defense. The fact that Pitt is none too strong defensively against an aerial attack has afforded its followers little comfort since the Trojans filled the air with footballs against Carnegie Tech December 14. And the other defensive worry for Pitt is Saunders, the Trojan quarter back, who called signals, passed, plunged, engaged in some open field sprints and did about everything else except referee the game.

One week from tonight some 30 players take up the long trek to the Pacific Coast.

Cruickshank to Enter Mexican Golf Event

Special to The Washington Post.

Agua Caliente, Baja California, Mexico, Dec. 18.—Though hailed as "the Wee Scot" in tournament competition, Bobby Cruickshank is far from a small foe except in height in the professional golf world today. Even though Cruickshank is short of stature, he is a powerful player and hits a ball that is more than average for distance. He will be among the leaders in the fight for the $10,000 first money and other awards in the richest golf tournament ever staged which will be held here January 14, 15, 16 and 17 for a total money award of $25,000.

Cruickshank made one of his biggest bids for fame in 1923 when he tied Bobby Jones, the Atlanta wizard, for the U. S. open championship. He lost on the play-off with a 78 to Jones' 76.

The same year Bobby tied Walter Hagen, Joe Kirkwood and myself for second in the Western open which Jock Hutchinson won with 281.

Cruickshank was taken ill following his 1923 conquests and was slow getting back to his best form. Last year he won the Maryland open and finished second to Johnny Farrell on the La Gorce open. He was third in the Florida open.

Cardinals Win By Rally in 2d Half

Oliver's Shooting Is Decisive Factor in Close Game.

Normal Team Gains Lead Off Reserves in First Half.

By JACK ESPEY.

A PACK of basket ball pygmies from Maryland State Normal School, Towson, Md., came within a hair's breadth of furnishing the first real upset of the local college court season last night in the Brookland Gymnasium. They almost defeated the Cardinals of Catholic University, for whom the game had been thought little more than a workout.

The Cards won, 22 to 20, thereby keeping their season's slate clean of defeat, but their diminutive foes scored on of those moral victories.

The players from Towson, whose childish looks and size belied the fact that they are school teachers, even if in the embryo stage, held the lead for two-thirds of the game. They completely outplayed the Cardinal seconds, who started, and held their own with the first string until part of the second half had gone. Then they weakened under the strain of keeping pace with the regulars, but so slightly that the home crowd didn't breathe easily until the last whistle.

Catholic.	G	FG	P	Md. State.	G	FG	P
Hanley,lf	1	0	2	Davidson,lf	0	0	0
Oliver,lf	3	0	6	Denaburg,lf	1	1	3
Guarnieri,rf	0	0	0	Himmelfarb,rf	1	0	2
Peifer,rf	1	1	3	Dulin,rf	0	0	0
Swords,c	0	0	0	Jansen,c	3	1	7
Hickey,c	1	3	5	Silbert,lg	1	0	2
Papalia,lg	0	0	0	Aaronson,lg	2	0	4
Clemons,lg	1	0	2	Trupp,rg	0	1	1
Reilly,rg	0	0	0	Peregoy,rg	0	0	0
Walsh,rg	1	2	4				
				Totals	7	6	20
Totals	8	6	22				

Foul shots attempted—Himmelfarb (3), Denaburg (4), Jansen (3), Trupp (2), Aaronson (6), Peifer (3), Oliver, Hickey (4), Walsh (2), Clemons. Referee—Simpson. Umpire—Fitzgerald. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Woltz Photographers Play Soldiers Tonight

The Woltz Photographers, formerly the Washington Grays, will tackle the strong Army Medical five tonight at the Walter Reed Gym. In a former meeting of these teams, the Photographers won by a small margin, eking out victory in the final quarter.

The following players are to report at Walter Reed at 7:30 p. m.: Banta, Buscher, Forney, T. Peck, Walker, Dean, Fones, and Scheckles.

Giant Italian to Box Maloney at Boston

Boston, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—An announcement indicating that Primo Carnera, gigantic Italian heavyweight, would make his American debut in Boston was made today by Eddie Mack, Boston Garden boxing promoter.

Mack said that Leon C. and Walter Freedman, Carnera's European managers, had cabled him acceptance of a match with Jimmy Maloney, of Boston, on January 17. The 6-foot 10 Italian, who weighs 280 pounds, will sail from England on December 24 and arrive in New York on the steamship Berengaria on December 30.

The Boston promoter will have to obtain the approval of Billy Duffy and Pete Stone, Carnera's New York representatives, before making the match with Maloney a certainty.

McLEAN FIVE PLAYS.

The McLean Court Team will engage the Takoma Park Firemen tonight in the McLean Gymnasium at 8 o'clock. For games with the McLean Athletic Club call Manager Don Funk at Metropolitan 6612 after 5:30 o'clock.

WOLTZ FIVE MEETS.

A special meeting of the Woltz Photographers Court Team has been called tonight at the home of Perry Woltz, 5524 Conduit road. All players are urged to report at 8 o'clock.

EAGLES CLAIM FORFEIT.

The St. Paul Eagles 115-pounders, claim a forfeit over the Panthers, as the latter failed to show up for a scheduled game last night on the Central High Court.

G. P. O. FEDS PLAY.

The G. P. O. Federals will play the Y. M. C. A. Reserves at 7:30 tonight in the Central Gym.

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THE MEN'S STORE, SECOND FLOOR

"OLD ROMAN" RETURNS TO BASEBALL WARS AT 70

Chisox Chief Is Anxious To Return

Health Regained, Veteran Aims to Salvage Team.

"Black Sox" Scandal Caused Comiskey to Retire.

By FRANK H. YOUNG.

CHARLES A. COMISKEY, the "Old Roman," plans to return to the baseball wars and, at 70 years of age, has announced that he will assume the duties and responsibilities which fall to his lot as president and owner of the Chicago Americans, a task he was forced to relinquish several years ago because of illness.

Although Comiskey, or "Commy," as he is called by his friends, is in better physical condition than he has been for the last decade, he is far from robust and is beginning baseball life anew at 70 years of age with all the hope and enthusiasm of youth. Perhaps the success of Connie Mack, veteran leader of the Athletics, who cashed in on a pennant and world's title after many years of disappointing failures, was the spark which aroused the old-timer in the Windy City, for he now advises the world that the White Sox, who have been playing around the American League cellar for many years, are out for a pennant.

"Commy," a fighter himself, believes that he made a good start in his effort to put his team back on the baseball map in the selection of Donie Bush, former Washington pilot, as manager for the coming season. "I used to admire Bush's work as long ago as when he played shortstop for the Detroit Tigers," he says. "He didn't give his team many base hits, but he gave everything else he had. A man of his earnestness is an inspiration to any ball club. He is a fighter and is just the type of fellow I want to head my club."

Comiskey's Return Welcomed.

Comiskey's return to harness will be welcomed by his fellow magnates in the league and will be a boon to the national game, for he showed in the handling of the situation in the 1919 world's series that he is absolutely honest and a square shooter, even at great cost to his own interests. When it was shown that the 1919 world's series was not on the "up and up," he led in the elimination of the questionable characters, although in so doing he was forced to practically junk the best team he had molded in years. Since then he has spent nearly $1,000,000 trying to get another, but so far without results.

Due to his own illness of several years, when his physician forbade him even to see games, he was unable to accomplish much with others at the helm, practically his only duty being the signing of checks. But he declares things will be different now, and with his experience and personality thrown into the breach along with the check book, in which there are many blanks, he already has visions of a pennant flapping from the big flagpole in Chicago's South Side park.

Ted Sullivan Started Him in Game.

"Commy" started in baseball with the Dubuque (Iowa) team in 1879, being hired by the late Ted Sullivan, a Washingtonian. He followed Sullivan to the Browns in 1882 and starred as a first baseman. In 1889 he went to Chicago as captain and manager.

Comiskey is generally regarded as the "father" of the American League. When the National left open considerable baseball territory while dropping from a 12-club to an 8-club league, the "Old Roman" suggested the organization of another major circuit and interested Byron Bancroft (Ban) Johnson and Clark Griffith, present Nat owner. The latter, a prominent pitcher then, rounded up most of the playing material and the American began functioning in 1901, with Comiskey owner of the Chicago franchise and manager. His team won the pennant that season and Griffith, who managed the White Sox the next season, followed suit.

After many hard battles, the American and National Leagues signed a peace pact and it was then that one of baseball's most famous feuds started—that between Comiskey and Johnson, the latter having been made president of the new league upon its organization. Several items broke up this friendship, but the one which figured most prominently in causing trouble was a childish one—the question as to which was entitled to the more credit in the organization of the junior circuit.

"Johnsonian" Wars Are Recalled.

While the two "buried the hatchet" on a number of occasions, the dove of peace never long hovered over their relations and more often than not each cheerfully would have "buried the hatchet" in the other's crown. When Johnson became ill, another truce was signed and, as Johnson is now out of baseball, indications are that this on will endure.

Craving a pennant winner, even with millions at his command, is one thing and getting one is another, Comiskey will discover, but the fact that he is to be back on the job trying is making a big hit with Windy City fans and no doubt will have a healthy effect on the national game.

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(Associated Press.)

WEATHER, CLOUDY. TRACK, GOOD.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000. For maiden 2-year-olds. Start fair. Won driving; place, easily. Went to post at 1:39. Off at 2:03. Winner, Weque Stable's b. c. (2), by Runantell—Pataconia III. Trained by E. McCuan. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:24 1-5, 0:48 3-5, 1:15.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
JAR	112	1	4	1h	1½	1½	1h	Knight	$2.45
MONTICELLO	112	5	2	3h	2h	2h	2h	C. Smith	†1.60
BOBBY POWERS	112	7	1	2h	1½	2h	3h	V. Smith	6.05
PLAYABIT	112	3	9	10h	9h	6h	4h	Thomas	35.20
UPSEDAISY	111	10	8	9h	10h	8h	5h	Fronk	†
COREOPSIS	110	6	11	8h	7h	5h	6h	Eames	32.20
BLACK DAYS	109	4	3	4h	4h	7h	7h	Cavens	3.75
ROCKET GLARE	109	2	5	6h	5h	4h	8¼	Horn	†16.40
DIXIE STAR	109	11	6	7h	8h	9¼	9h	Martin	†27.20
BRIGHT FLAG	115	9	7	5h	6h	10h	10h	LeBlanc	†
PRINCESS PULASKI	110	8	10	11	11	11	11	Kellum	212.75

† Greentree Stable entry. ‡ S. W. Labrot entry.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—JAR, $6.90, $2.90, $2.50; MONTICELLO, $2.40, $2.20; BOBBY POWERS, $2.40.

JAR, away well, was kept on inside around turn, came out to center of track in stretch and won handily. MONTICELLO broke fast, dropped back, came around on turn, but lost much ground by the move. He finished fast and might have been a keen factor under good handling. BOBBY POWERS had early speed and ran a good race. PLAYABIT closed a big gap. BLACK DAYS ran out on turn.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 2:26. Off at 2:27. Winner, J. W. McNamara's b. g. (6), by Trap Rock—Sadie Chapiro. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:24 1-5, 0:48 1-5, 1:14 3-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
THE DAGO	120	8	7	4h	1½	1h	1¼	Parmelee	$0.50
CELIDON	109	9	9	6h	5h	3h	2h	McCoy	9.05
KINGSPORT	111	12	5	1½	2h	2h	3h	Swigert	27.95
PANAMA	111	7	4	7½	7½	7h	4h	O'Brien	64.30
BOOT TOP	111	10	1	3h	4½	4h	5h	Leonard	26.80
BROOMONEY	116	4	6	5h	6h	6½	6h	Knight	8.80
ROCK ABBEY	109	1	10	10h	10h	9h	7h	Willard	62.25
SHANTY M'CARTY	109	11	2	8½	8h	8h	8h	Deprema	40.60
CAPTAIN GUARD	111	6	8	9h	9h	10h	9h	Mills	17.20
CLASSY	118	2	11	11h	11h	11h	10h	Whittaker	8.80
LEMNOS	116	5	3	2h	3h	5½	11h	C. Meyer	74.25
GEORGIA HERGET	106	3	12	12	12	12	12	Reno	124.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—THE DAGO, $3.00, $2.60, $2.50; CELIDON, $4.00, $3.20; KINGSPORT, $3.80.

THE DAGO was much the best. He broke slow, but went up fast on inside, ran into lead on turn, and won easily. CELIDON was in close quarters early, came wide in stretch, but swerved over to inner rail in final furlong. KINGSPORT had speed and ran a good race. PANAMA closed a big gap. BOOT TOP had speed for half a mile. LEMNOS had early speed, but tired in stretch.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won easily; place, driving. Went to post at 2:52. Off at 2:52½. Winner, Mrs. R. Pollard's ch. g. (3), by Rodgers—Grafton's Barricade. Trained by R. Pollard. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:23 4-5, 0:48 1-5, 1:14 2-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
KUKUI	114	7	2	3½	1h	1½	1h	Parmelee	$9.15
COL. SETH	116	9	5	2½	2½	2h	2h	Shropshire	2.20
ONE CENT	113	6	1	1h	3h	3h	3h	V. Smith	10.80
PRESIDENT SETH	109	11	8	8h	7h	5h	4h	Cimerak	9.05
RED LEATHER	113	8	4	4h	4h	4h	5h	Knight	7.85
RAGABALD	113	5	7	7h	5h	6h	6h	Martin	2.10
GARRISON	109	3	3	5h	8h	8h	7h	Russell	42.35
STANDARD BEARER	114	3	7	5h	7h	6h	8h	Clavier	26.95
COMMAND	102	8	4	1½	2½	4h	9h	Moore	4.75
HAND OR	111	1	9	9h	9h	9h	10h	Frye	117.85
FIRST PICK	114	10	10	10h	10h	10h	11h	Deprema	69.90
RUNMORE	109	4	11	4h	3h	3h	12	Pauley	44.85
SONNY GOLDEN	109	2	12	12	11h	11h	13h	Swigert	16.30
MERIDA	106	11	6	11	12	12	14h	Russell	26.85
CAPT. LEROY	109	9	10	11h	13h	13	15	Cramer	174.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—KUKUI, $20.30, $6.70, $5.10; COLONEL SETH, $4.30, $3.10; ONE CENT, $4.20.

KUKUI followed pace to far turn, ran into lead and, drawing away in stretch, won handily. COLONEL SETH, out in middle of the track, finished gamely. ONE CENT had the speed for half a mile. PRESIDENT SETH finished with a rush and should improve. RAGABALD lacked early speed. RED LEATHER is improving.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won handily; place, driving. Went to post at 3:16. Off at 3:17½. Winner, P. G. Jenkins' ch. g. (5), by Kenward—Phyllis. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:23 4-5, 0:47 4-5, 1:14.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
SIMON KENTON	108	8	2	2h	2h	1h	1¼	Dyer	$2.85
ELOISE	105	6	9	7h	5h	4h	2½	V. Smith	1.40
RASULI	113	4	8	9½	8½	5h	3h	C. Meyer	11.05
BLACK FLYER	113	2	1	1h	1h	1½	4h	Shropshire	6.15
OLD BILL	113	9	7	8h	7h	6h	5h	Kellum	32.75
ORESTES II	108	7	4	4h	4h	3h	6h	Martin	16.25
DR. FRED	113	1	3	3h	3h	2h	7h	Anderson	14.10
DUMPY	113	5	10	5h	9h	8h	8h	Holt	60.40
MY ANGEL	103	3	6	10	10	10	9h	Richards	141.70
MORTGAGE	113	10	3	2h	3h	8h	10	Parmelee	7.40

Two-dollar mutuels paid—SIMON KENTON, $7.70, $2.80, $2.50; ELOISE, $3.80, $2.90; RASULI, $4.60.

SIMON KENTON was rated off early pace to stretch, where he ran into lead and won handily. ELOISE broke slow, worked her way up and finished gamely. RASULI was outrun first part, but came with a rush and was third in last stride. BLACK FLYER had good speed and ran well and is worth remembering. OLD BILL was going strong at end. MORTGAGE ran out on turn. ORESTES II had no excuse. DOCTOR FRED lacked speed.

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 3:44. Off at 3:44. Winner, F. P. Leteiller's ch. c. (3), by Runymede—Limelight. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:24 1-5, 0:49 4-5, 1:15 4-5, 1:42 3-5, 1:49 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
WOOLORAC	108	6	2	8h	7½	4h	1h	Dell	$10.45
BRIDEGROOM	107	3	4	2h	3h	8	7½	Russell	6.85
LAUNDRYMAN	107	5	6	4½	5h	5h	3h	May	14.20
COMET	111	3	7	5h	4h	3½	2h	Cramer	2.80
GOLDEN ARROW	110	4	8	7h	6h	11½	1h	Benham	2.95
CHICLERO	103	1	1	3½	8	6h	6h	Cimerak	3.70
MASTER	109	7	5	6h	2h	7h	8	Kelly	16.20
MASTER	110	7	3	1h	1½	2h	3h	Thomas	12.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid—WOOLORAC, $22.90, $7.00, $5.90; BRIDEGROOM, $8.10, $5.20; LAUNDRYMAN, $3.60.

WOOLORAC, showing startling improvement, came with a rush in stretch and won going away. BRIDEGROOM, well up early part, was knocked back to last place, came around field and finished fast. LAUNDRYMAN, under good handling, ran well. COMET had no excuse. CHICLERO was poorly ridden. MASTER had speed for six furlongs. GOLDEN ARROW tired badly after getting to the front.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won easily; place, same. Went to post at 4:12. Off at 4:13. Winner, G. W. Pritz's b. f. (4), by Uncle—Sandy Land. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:25, 0:50, 1:16 2-5, 1:43, 1:49 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
SANDY LADY	111	5	8	7h	6h	2h	1h	1h	Horn	$1.00
FRANCES ROCK	106	12	6	3h	1h	1h	2h	2h	V. Smith	22.40
LINDA ARCHER	106	8	10	9h	8h	5h	3h	3h	Clavier	61.25
INFANTA	106	2	1	8h	9h	7h	7h	4h	Martin	5.45
STANDARD BEARER	114	3	7	5h	7h	6h	5h	5½	Moore	6.00
COMMAND	102	8	4	1½	2½	4h	4h	6½	Frye	4.75
HAND OR	111	1	9	10h	10h	9h	8h	7h	Deprema	117.85
FIRST PICK	114	10	9	10h	10h	10h	9½	8h	Pauley	69.90
RUNMORE	109	4	11	4h	3h	3h	6h	9h	Swigert	44.85
SONNY GOLDEN	109	7	12	12	12	11½	10h	10h	Russell	16.30
MERIDA	106	11	5	11	11	8½	11h	11h	Cramer	26.85
CAPT. LEROY	109	9	10	11h	11h	12	12	12	McCormack	174.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—SANDY LADY, $4.00, $3.60, $3.00; FRANCES ROCK, $10.00, $6.20; LINDA ARCHER, $17.40.

SANDY LADY, showing big improvement over her recent race, moved up fast and, taking lead on turn, drew away and was only galloping at end. FRANCES ROCK ran well. LINDA ARCHER closed gamely. INFANTA closed a big gap. COMMAND tired badly. RUNMORE was well up for six furlongs, then dropped back.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won easily; place, driving. Went to post at 4:39. Off at 4:40. Winner, J. Hayes' ch. h. (9), by Pataud—Bright Start. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:25, 0:50, 1:16 2-5, 1:43 1-5, 1:49 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
GUEST OF HONOR	109	11	7	3½	2½	1h	1h	1h	V. Smith	$1.35
INDRA	116	6	10	10h	7h	3½	2h	2h	E. Mann	.05
ZELMA O'NEAL	109	10	6	1h	1h	2h	3h	3h	C. Meyer	2.40
GRANDMA G	109	9	5	2h	6h	6½	6h	4h	Russell	11.25
WAMPEE	109	8	4	7h	5h	4h	4h	5h	Deprema	12.35
EVERGREEN QUEEN	102	1	2	9h	9h	8h	5h	6h	M. Meyers	27.45
STONEAGE	109	3	11	6h	8½	5½	7h	7h	Dyer	164.20
BILL HARE	114	7	8	4h	4½	10h	8h	8h	Phillips	7.40
BLUE METEOR	110	12	9	11h	10h	9h	9h	9h	Palumbo	46.15
HANEY RICE	111	2	3	8h	3h	7h	10h	10h	Lassiwell	28.30
SETH'S PREMIUM	106	5	5	5h	11h	11h	11h	11h	Horn	66.20
OTTO BERZ	109	4	12	12	12	12	12	12	Dell	221.30

Two-dollar mutuels paid—GUEST OF HONOR, $4.70, $3.80, $3.30; INDRA, $6.40, $3.30; ZELMA O'NEAL, $3.10.

GUEST OF HONOR was much the best. He took lead when ready and won galloping. INDRA closed a big gap on outside. ZELMA O'NEAL had good speed, but tired badly. GRANDMA G. ran well and is about ready to win.

COLLYER'S COMMENT on the SPORT of KINGS

BY BERT E. COLLYER.

MORE hot ones. Just as I set the old mill on my lap and start letting you in on a few genuine eagle birds, comes the joyous info that **MICKEY D.** will go for all the tea in China this aft down at Keeney Park. They're going to shoot with this one and then ship him over to Havana, and a word to the wise ought to be sufficient. I know **DUNMORE** will be the public choice, and probably odds on, but never mind that, just come along.

In the first, **GRIFFIN**, which has been trotted out in high society all summer, has been tossed in with some nickle horses today, and it looks as though he should take the track and make every post a winning one. The other good one down at the Gator plant is **POLY**, which seems entitled to a five point call at least.

I am taking **THAT'S IT**, a smart trick from the Three D's string, to come home on the chin strap in the fifth and feature spasm down at Jeff Park. This thing won like breaking sticks last time and seems good enough to repeat. **OPEN GO SHUT**, if he gets in, is a gilt-edged, copper-riveted good thing in the fourth, while the same goes for **BILL SETH** in the sixth. Of them all at Crawfishtown today I like **SAMBO G.** best. Bryson will have the money-riding Morris in the pilot house, and I can't see how it will even be close. It's worth mentioning that I slipped you four winners at this track Monday and then came back with three the next day. Beat that and take my racoon benny.

I have been slipping you good things down at Havana at the rate of better than two a day, and the three-star special of this aft is none other than **FLORINASSA**, which already has won one heat down at Oriental Park. There will be plenty of wise dough riding, but it is just a cinch in the third—that's the happy chatter from the trackman.

JEFFERSON PARK.

1—Dorothy Lee, Paquette, Paddock.
2—Sauce, Griff W., Black Dancer.
3—The Huguenot, Hayes Choice, Great Sport.
4—Open Go Shut, Paddy, Heartache.
5—That's It, Raucona, Stars and Bars.
6—Bill Seth, Iraq, Chatson.
7—Sambo G., Sport Dress, Baby Delhi.
Best—Sambo G.

HAVANA.

1—Stylish Mack, Broadmoor, Belascoin.
2—Smithers, Roberta L., Librarian.
3—Florinassa, Panola, Sun Rock.
4—My Destination, George Stack, Waponoca.
5—Seventeen Sixty, Amenra, Mursim.
6—Pandy, Lucky Drift, Fair Catch.
Best—Florinassa.

KEENEY PARK.

1—Griffin, Forbes, Sun Lad.
2—Wave Top, Moreyes, Guilder.
3—Poly, Nicholson, Truncheon.
4—Mickey D., Dunmore, Nearby.
5—Partisan, Rod Rack, Sand Fiddler.
6—Parole II, Judge Caverly, Fire Under.
Best—Poly.

Most probable winner—Florinassa.
Collyer's system horse—Griffin.
Best parlay—Poly, Sauce, Florinassa, a place.

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SCHANG 6TH RECALLED BY MACK

Collins, Miller, Lord, Bush, Burns Others With A's Twice.

Special to The Washington Post.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—Wally Schang, the catcher who was secured from St. Louis by the Philadelphia Athletics, is the sixth player sent away by Connie Mack and recalled by him during the 28 years Mack has managed the A's.

With Bris Lord, Bing Miller, Eddie Collins, Joe Bush and George Burns, the former Brown backstop is the only player traded by Connie who has been brought back.

Bris Lord was with the Athletics in 1905 when Connie entered his first world series. Shortlyy after, the Upland (Pa.) automobile dealer was sent to Cleveland.

When Rube Oldring was hurt in 1910 it was necessary for Connie to patch up his outfield pronto. So he traded for Bris, who went to Philadelphia, a member of the Indians and went West again as a Mackman.

A's First Obtained Miller From Nationals.

Bris was a member of the first world's champion team that the lean leader ever had.

Bing Miller was with Washington and went to Philadelphia as a part of the trade that sent Jumping Joe Dugan to Boston and several others to the Yankees.

Edmund, of Vinton City, was such a quiet, efficient mortal that he attracted little attention. He went to the Browns, and when Connie traded Sammy Gray to Dan Howley, Bing went back.

Wally Schang got his start with the Pullmans, a semipro organization of Buffalo. The Bisons of the International League grabbed him, and the Athletics got him years ago in the draft.

Twelve years ago, when McGillicuddy's yeomen were in the cellar and it looked squally for the game, Schang, Bush and Strunk went to the Red Sox for $60,000 and Vean Gregg, Chet Thomas and Irvin Kopp.

Schang Back After Service With Yanks and Browns.

Later Walter was shipped to the Yankees, thence to St. Louis and back again. Oddly enough it was twelve years ago that the Phillies sold Grover Cleveland Alexander and Bill Killefer to the Chicago Cubs for $55,000 and Prendergast, a pitcher, and Pickles Dilhoefer, a catcher.

Aleck has been in two world series as a member of the Cardinals and will coach the Philly youngsters how to use the old noodle, and work two or three innings and bear down enough to hold any slender lead.

Lewis Wins Twice In 3-Cushion Play

F. E. Lewis won two matches last night in the three-cushion billiard tournament being played at Elmer's parlor. Lewis defeated William McPeak, 35 to 21, and G. W. Harsin, 35 to 31. In each match Lewis broke the high run record for the event, getting a cluster of eight against McPeak and six against Harsin.

In tonight's match, R. Leonard will take on L. A. Smith.

REMSENS BEAT PHI SIG.

The Remsen Court Team swamped the Phi Sigma Kappa Fraternity Five last night, 37-15, at the Takoma Fire Department Gym. Every one of the winning combination took a hand in the scoring against the Greeks.

Remsens.	G	FG	P	Phi Sig. K.	G	FG	P
Miller,lf	2	0	4	Wilson,lf	0	0	0
Williams,rf	1	0	2	Bischoff,rf	1	0	2
Louing,c	2	1	5	Turner,c	2	1	7
Turner,c	2	1	5	O'Neil,lg	1	0	2
Bennett,lg	4	5	13	Leyking,rg	1	2	4
Morrell,rg	4	0	8				
Totals	15	7	27	Totals	6	3	15

Referee—Hurst.

ST. MARTINS WIN.

The St. Martin's Court Men won their eighth straight game last night, defeating the Centennial Five, 20 to 13, at the St. Martin's Gymnasium. Quigley led the winners with 12 points.

St. Martin's.	G	FG	P	Centennials.	G	FG	P
C.Quigley,lf	4	4	12	Ready,lf	1	1	3
E.Barry,rf	0	0	0	Fitzgerald,rf	0	0	0
W.Augu'fer,c	0	0	0	Ferguson,rf	2	0	4
Goss,lg	0	1	1	Grimm,c	0	1	1
Foster,lg	1	2	4	Juliano,lg	1	0	2
King,rg	2	1	5	Colbert,lg	1	0	2
Grazani,rg	0	0	0	Clark,rg	0	1	1
Totals	7	6	20	Totals	5	3	13

Referee—Warren (C. U.).

HAVANA RESULTS.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Five and a half furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward. Black Agate, 111 (J. Scurlock), 7 to 10, 1 to 2, 1 to 6; Betty Bowman, 100 (G. Riley), 3 to 1, even; Louis Rubenstein, 108 (L. Logan), 8 to 5. Time, 1:09. Cadet, Pondy, Penna II, The Ticker also ran.

SECOND RACE—Five and a half furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward. Shorty O., 105 (A. Colvin), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 8 to 5; Reddy Fox, (F. Dougherty), 4 to 5, 2 to 5; Joan Shirley, 107 (G. Ivey), 5 to 1. Time, 1:09. Sir Barley, Parqueto, The Engineer, Timekeeper, Renbarg, Coaster, Mursim and Royal Spring also ran.

THIRD RACE—Five and a half furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 2-year-olds; fillies. Western Princess, 112 (J. Judy), 2 to 1, 7 to 10, 1 to 3; Iotal, 108 (O. Pernia), 6 to 1, 3 to 1; May Agnes K., 108 (H. Fisher), 2 to 5. Time, 1:11 4-5. Cliftons Maid, Twenty-Five Sixty, Gay Broeck and Princess Margaret also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,000; the Miramar; allowances; for all ages; maidens. Baltimore, 102 (R. Yelton), 7 to 10, 1 to 3, 1 to 6; Black Wrack, 113 (J. Mantz), 10 to 1, 5 to 1; My Side, 113 (H. Kenly), 3 to 1. Time, 1:18. Wenderman, Neighborn, Rattle, Lady Peggy, Cacique, Flitphen and Captain Gilbert also ran.

FIFTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward. Lactarius, 113 (R. Townrow), 4 to 5, 1 to 3, 1 to 6; Rock Candy, 105 (J. Passero), 8 to 5, 3 to 5; Corposant, 113 (T. Burns), 3 to 1. Time, 1:51. Ben Bolt II, Reigh Colene and Dr. Clark also ran.

SIXTH RACE—One mile and fifty yards; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds. Acmen, 109 (E. Pator), 12 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1; Checkmate, 104 (G. Riley), 4 to 1, 2 to 1; Muhleking, 107 (J. Passero), 1 to 2. Time, 1:49. Pat O'Connor, Dinneford, Mintcel and Mainsheet also ran.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Pifia	100	5	Broadmoor
2 *Stylish Mack	112	6	*Real
3 *San Carlos	112	7	Futuro
4 *Belascoain	102	8	Parnell

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1 Merry Girl	104	7	*Roberta L.
2 *Affectionette	102	8	*Sweet Yvette
3 Miss Ruthie	104	9	*Librarian
4 Smithers	110	10	Dr. David
5 *Admiral Seth	105	11	Ma Sun
6 *Jim Miller	108	12	Unfort. Girl

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Critic	110	5	*Sun Rock
2 *Emphatic	107	6	*Panola
3 The Code	115	7	*Juicy
4 Maximus	113	8	Florinassa

FOURTH RACE—One mile and 50 yards; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 Sea Hawk	110	5	*Elmer H.
2 Mursim	110	6	*Wrackeen
3 Seventeen Sixty	110	7	Amen Ra
4 Cano	110		

SIXTH RACE—One mile and 50 yards; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Phi Delta	107	7	*Star Forward
2 Reigh Celene	107	8	*B. and Yellow
3 *Campanella	102	9	*Lady Edna
4 *Lucky Drift	110	10	Pandy
5 Bryn Dear	107	11	Sturdy Stella
6 Fair Catch	112		

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

The Post's Consensus of Choices at Jefferson Park

	1st Race	2d Race	3d Race	4th Race	5th Race	6th Race	7th Race
Collyer	Dorothy Lee	Sauce	The Huguenot	Open Go Shut	That's It	Bill Seth	Sambo G
Collyer's Eye	Paquette	Griff W.	Hayes' Choice	Paddy	Raucona	Iraq	Sport Dress
	Paddock	Black Dancer	Great Sport	Heartache	Stars & Bars	Chatson	Baby Delhi
Louisville Times	Portsur	Milton Moore	Fenlight	Fire Opal	Stars & Bars	Red Spider	Sun Roman
Associated Press	Paquette	Griff W.	The Huguenot	K. Me Gnome	Play B.	Bill Seth	Sport Dress
	Paddock	Black Dancer	Coppershine	McCulloch	E. of Warwick	Gold Belt	Florenda
Trackman	Thelma L.	Griff W.	Fenlight	Open Go Shut	That's It	Beauregard	Sambo G.
Racing Form	Paquette	Golden Cloud	The Huguenot	Paddy	Play B.	Bill Seth	Sport Dress
	Portsur	Kilby	Coppershine	McCulloch	E. of Warwick	Tempter	Florenda
N. Y. Handicap	Paquette	Griff W.	The Huguenot	McCulloch	That's It	Tempter	Sambo G.
Racing Form	Portsur	Black Dancer	Coppershine	Open Go Shut	E. of Warwick	Bill Seth	Sport Dress
	Purple Robe	Milton Moore	Yarsee	Paddy	Stars & Bars	Gold Bet	Florenda
Davenport	Paddock	Griff W.	Yarsee	Bob Kernan	Stars & Bars	Beauregard	Sport Dress
Racing Form	Portsur	Milton Moore	Coppershine	Copper	That's It	Iraq	Sambo G.
	Lawson W.	Black Dancer	Fenlight	Fire Opal	Play B.	Bill Seth	Black Thunder
Sweep	Paddock	Griff W.	Yarsee	Open Go Shut	That's It	Bill Seth	Sport Dress
Racing Form	Paquette	Golden Cloud	Hayes' Choice	Copper	Stars & Bars	Beauregard	Sambo G
	Thelma L	Milton Moore	Coppershine	Fire Opal	Raucona	Iraq	Florenda
Walsh	Portsur	Griff W.	The Huguenot	McCulloch	E. of Warwick	Tempter	Sambo G
Running Horse	Paddock	Black Dancer	Fenlight	Hillary	That's It	Cockrill	Florenda
	Lawson W.	Golden Cloud	Coppershine	Fire Opal	Raucona	Beauregard	Sport Dress
Purchase	Paquette	Black Dancer	Coppershine	McCulloch	That's It	Red Spider	Sambo G
	Tidy American	Griff W.	The Huguenot	Bob Gernan	Raucona	Bill Seth	Eager Play
Running Horse	Purple Robe	Agnes Wynn	Fenlight	Open Go Shut	Play B.	Iraq	Sport Dress
Consensus	Paquette	Griff W.	The Huguenot	Open Go Shut	That's It	Bill Seth	Sport Dress
	Portsur	Black Dancer	Fenlight	McCulloch	Stars & Bars	Beauregard	Sambo G.
	Paddock	Milton Moore	Coppershine	Bob Kernan	E. of Warwick	Tempter	Florenda

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

By John Hix

G. W. FRESHMEN SCORE OVER BUSINESS FIVE, 27-24

Colonial Cubs Win From Business

Eke Out 27 to 24 Victory to Make Record Three Straight.

Stenogs Rally to Tie in Second Half But Then Falter.

BUSINESS HIGH SCHOOL'S up and coming basket ball team almost upset the dope yesterday when it came within an ace of licking the George Washington University Freshmen in the Colonial Gym, but the young collegians possessed the knack of making two essential baskets in the late stages of the game, and consequently tucked away the verdict, 27-24. The victory was the third straight for the Cubs, who only opened their season on Monday night.

Coach Lynn Woodworth derived one satisfaction out of the result, however. The 3-point difference between his representatives and the G. W. yearlings was by 35 markers a better showing than Central's five made all of which points to a bright horizon for Business once the interhigh series is started.

Business Stages Rally In Second Half.

Coming out after intermission, and on the short end of a 15-9 count, the Orange and Blue tossers gradually whittled down their opponents' lead until they were but one point behind. With the score, 20-19, Loftus made good on a free toss from the 15-foot line to square matters for his team for the first time during the showing than Central's five made, all game, which, however, was short-lived when Paul Brown, erstwhile Techite, counted from the floor.

Although the Business five kept but one point behind for the next few minutes, two double-deckers by Burgess gave the G. W. Cubs a lead which could not be overcome.

Throughout the second twenty minutes of play the Business Five played an overly cautious game, at times making their passing appear snail-like in its movements. The Stenogs were content to let the home team do the rushing, but, during these tactics outscored the eventual winners. Two field goals and as many foul shots were registered by Business before the G. W. Team started in the second half, but once under way after the score had been tied the downtowners were not to be denied.

Burgess and Lucas Lead Point Scorers.

Burgess and Lucas, rival forwards, tied for top honors in the day's point making, each scoring twice from the floor and five times via the free route. Moreover, both registered their shots at opportune times for their respective teams, Lucas' pair of double-deckers coming during the Business second-half spurt and Burgess' duo enabling his team to draw away from a dangerously close lead.

G. W. Frosh.	G	FG	P	Business.	G	FG	P
Crandall, f.	1	0	2	Newman, f.	2	2	2
Carlin, f.	1	0	2	Durvee, f.	0	0	0
Burgess, c.	2	2	9	Lucas, c.	1	2	5
Connor, c.	0	0	1	Chase, c.	0	0	0
Komig, c.	0	1	1	Singman, g.	2	0	4
Brown, g.	3	0	6	Finley, g.	0	1	1
Zahn, rg.	2	2	6	Loftus, rg.	1	1	3
Totals	9	9	27	Totals	7	10	24

Referee—Ford.

Notre Dame Star Visits Brother Chuck Collins

Special to The Washington Post.

Chapel Hill, N. C., Dec. 18.—Today's visitors to the Tarheel football camp included Ed Collins, Notre Dame left end. Young Collins was visiting Brother Chuck, head Tarheel grid mentor who was formerly a Notre Dame end himself.

This second Notre Dame end of the Collins family is smaller than either brother Chuck or brother Bill, the latter a 205-pound tackle on the Carolina Frosh this year, but from all reports he carried on nobly the Collins tradition at Notre Dame.

COMPLETE FOURTH YEAR.

Special to The Washington Post.

Haverford, Pa., Dec. 18.—J. Howard Morris, jr., captain and full back of this year's football team at Haverford College, and A. David Milliken, guard and tackle, both played for four years on the Haverford varsity.

VETERANS BUREAU PIN LEAGUE STATISTICS

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.	TP.
Awards	23	10	.727	16,253
Pimlico	23	10	.727	15,699
Supply	17	16	.515	17,273
Construction	17	16	.515	16,248
Chief Clerk	17	16	.515	15,852
Stock	15	18	.455	15,710
Engineers	12	21	.364	14,870
Claims	11	22	.333	15,633

HIGH SCORES.

High team game—Chief Clerk, 588. High team set—Supply, 1,685. High individual game—Jenkins, 156. High individual set—Rosenblatt, 373. High spares—Rosenblatt, 84. High strikes—Winneke, 19. High individual average—Jenkins, 112. High flat game—Jenkins, 99.

AWARDS.

	G.	Ave.	HG.	HS.	Sp.	St.
Sheehan	24	104	134	333	44	11
Bowder	32	102	131	332	50	8
Taylor	33	101	126	352	52	10
Woods	32	101	135	357	36	11
Shore	32	99	121	326	51	8
Stein	3	96	113	284	9	1

FINANCE.

Kelsey	25	102	124	338	44	12
Hendley	30	99	133	324	46	17
Parkinson	21	96	114	333	32	7
Winters	28	96	119	322	32	12
Amidon	31	95	113	312	41	7
Whittleton	27	91	114	312	31	8

SUPPLY.

Jenkins	28	112	156	365	73	7
Rosenblatt	33	108	134	373	84	11
Dundon	33	104	129	352	48	7
Pritchard	30	103	123	342	61	12
Compton	33	99	129	339	49	8
Blue	25	95	114	297	17	3

CONSTRUCTION

Winneke	33	106	149	365	68	19
Moore	30	103	142	370	57	8
Hunter	3	101	103	284	4	1
DeMoreland	33	98	135	339	47	13
Gardner	33	94	114	297	40	3
Madigan	6	92	128	283	10	3
Fitzpatrick	27	87	109	286	21	2

CHIEF CLERK.

Ruche	4	110	130	339	11	3
Thornberg	24	101	118	323	30	3
Britton	22	100	124	343	49	10
Law	24	98	121	328	35	5
Albin	32	96	123	332	42	8
Norris	33	93	125	330	38	7
Houff	19	90	123	306	17	2
Anderson	1	88	88	88	0	0

STOCK.

Thornton	6	100	118	288	13	2
Glukenhouse	24	99	136	352	38	9
Kelley	26	98	117	312	44	8
Freeman	25	98	123	351	41	7
Spence	24	95	123	321	26	8
McMurray	19	94	115	312	20	6
Atkinson	20	92	107	298	25	7
Lohr	4	88	118	297	19	1

ENGINEERS.

Turner	19	98	140	348	30	6
Quirley	7	96	110	266	9	2
Everts	27	96	117	318	42	7
Heese	33	95	123	331	44	8
Williams	18	91	104	298	16	4
Glass	3	90	94	270	6	0
Guard	18	88	104	287	21	0
Campbell	1	81	81	81	3	0
Hester	30	79	96	260	13	0
Hasus	3	76	85	228	3	0
Pentlman	6	75	79	232	3	0

CLAIMS.

Sowers	12	102	123	356	17	8
Laden	19	102	127	343	35	6
Pass	13	96	117	327	17	4
Thompson	30	97	120	322	36	12
Ashe	9	97	107	318	7	1
Hager	9	96	112	295	10	5
McKeeley	30	93	112	306	31	11
Hall	23	93	110	307	21	4
Gregory	13	92	99	286	13	4
Folsom	3	74	76	222	1	0

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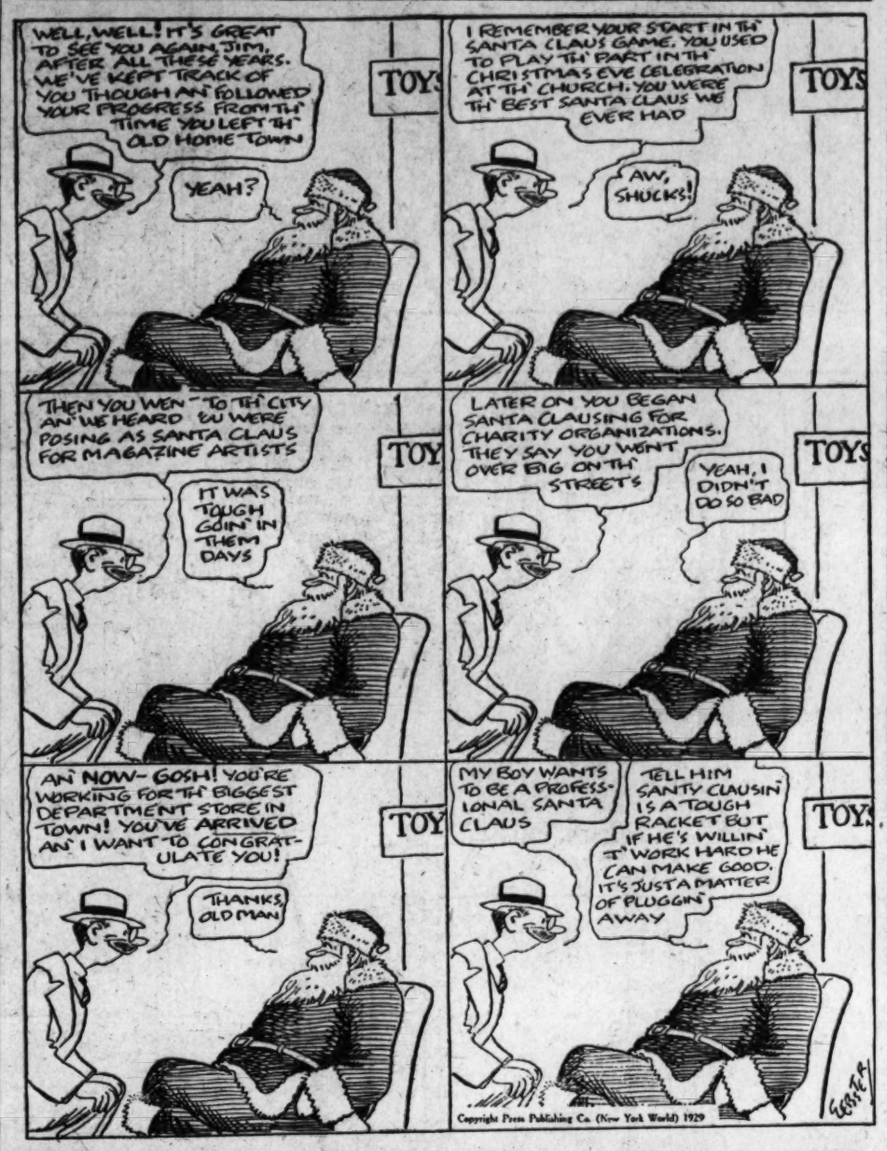


Daily Legal Record

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1929.
COURT OF APPEALS.
No session. Adjourned from day to day.

DISTRICT SUPREME COURT.

Notice—Christmas recess from close of business December 20, 1929, to and including January 1, 1930.

CIRCUIT COURT 1—Mr. Justice Frederick L. Siddons presiding. William W. Stickney, clerk.

No. 77421. Odd Fellows Hall Association, &c., vs. Isaac W. Scott; order extending time for filing plea, extended to January 2, 1930. Attys., Howard, Hayes & Davis, J. P. Wilson, W. I. Lee—Hughes, Ems & Neill.

No. 73179. Thos. F. Sheridan vs. Wardman Park Taxi Co.; trial resumed and jury resplted. Attys., W. E. Leahy, E. B. Sullivan—Chas. H. Merillat, Geo. Zeutzius.

Assignment for Thursday, December 19:

No. 233. Sheridan vs. Wardman Park Taxi. Attys., Leahy, Sullivan—Merillat.

No. 163. Farnsworth vs. McNey Realty Co. Attys., Kelly, Doherty—Dow.

No. 133. Holt vs. Washington Terminal Co. Attys., Webb, Hornstein—Hamilton & Hamilton, Brady.

No. 159. Larsen vs. Torrillo. Attys., Douglas, Obear & Douglas—Whiteford, Emerson, jr.

No. 9. Cohen vs. Cake. Attys., Wood—Cake, Laskey.

Nos. 165, 242 and 385. Lyskin vs. Cohn. Attys., Stearman—Clarke.

CIRCUIT COURT 2—Mr. Justice Jennings Bailey presiding. Fred C. O'Connell, clerk.

No. 77210. George H. Price Co. vs. Henry J. Auth et al; judgment of condemnation against $80 credits of defendant Auth in hands of National Bank of Washington, garnishee. Attys., Foster Wood—Alfred Cercco.

No. 73974. Marianne L. Spellbring vs. John A. Talbot; trial resumed and verdict for defendant. Attys., Ralph A. Cusick—Welch, Daily & Welch.

No. 74303. James W. Hunter vs. Benjamin Kay; judgment on verdict for defendant against plaintiff for costs. Attys., U. A. O'Shea—David A. Fine, J. W. Price, H. C. Lank.

No. 77514. Clyde V. Berglund vs. Frank T. Hines, &c.; returnable January 10. Atty., Samuel T. Ansell.

No. 74606. Rosa Datlow vs. Isadore Chernikoff et al.;

No. 74697. Lillian Chernikoff vs. Rosa Datlow; consolidated for trial; jury sworn and case resumed. Attys., Louis Ottenberg.

No. 2211. In re Edward J. Martin; discharge ordered. Atty., Jacob Friend.

No. 2251. In re Lewis C. Palmer; adjudication and reference to Fred J. Edenferd, jr. Attys., E. A. Moores, A. di Girolamo.

No. 2218. In re W. S. Kenworthy; composition confirmed. Attys., Peelle, Ogilby & Lesh.

DISTRICT COURT—Mr. Justice Alfred A. Wheat presiding; Harry B. Dertzbaugh, clerk.

No. 1987. In re Squares 38 et al.; order to empanel jury for January 7. Atty., A. H. Bell, jr.

No. 1958. In re Butterworth place;

No. 1976. In re Evarts street.

Each case, time to return verdict extended to January 17. Attys., A. H. Bell, jr., W. W. Bride.

EQUITY COURT 2—Mr. Justice Alfred A. Wheat presiding; Harry B. Dertzbaugh, clerk.

No. 3468. Lunacy; in re John Krebs; auditor's report confirmed. Atty., F. A. Fenning.

No. 48901. Able Home Builders vs. John C. Weedon; auditor's report confirmed. Atty. A. D. Smith.

No. 45102. Louis F. Gardner vs. Laura J. Donn et al.; investment authorized. Attys. G. F. McGlue, Thos. F. Burke.

No. 47031. Bennett Bush vs. Sarah Bush; order making additional party defendant. Attys. Burkart & Quinn—A. O. Bilabon, D. A. Devaney et al.

No. 50344. Harriette J. Curlin vs. Mary Jones Ways; amended answer stricken out. Attys., Simon, Koenigsberger, Young, Brez—M. W. King.

No. 49746. Esher Stein vs. Louis Stein; returnable January 3. Atty. A. M. Schwartz—D. Edw. Clarke.

No. 50351. Minnie R. Browning vs. G. Sharman James et al; order of publication. Atty., Chas. W. Clagett.

No. 50582. Valentine J. Telma vs. Hal Speidel et al.; order of publication. Atty., Andrew Wilson.

No. 50409. Rosalie M. Brown vs. Oscar L. Brown; alimony pending hearing. (Bailey F.). Attys., R. Wendecker, J. M. Boardman—Whelan & O'Connell.

No. 48503. Grace M. Sorrell vs. Henry C. Sorrell; returnable December 20. Attys., A. L. Newmyer, A. W. Jacobson.

No. 43103. Dorothy McMurray vs. Thomas S. McMurray; returnable December 20. Attys., Abner Siegal, R. E. J. Whalen—Thos. E. Lodge, George E. McNeil.

Assignment for Thursday, December 19: Condemnation cases only.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—Mr. Justice Alfred A. Wheat presiding; Harry B., Dertzbaugh, clerk.

No. 2213. In re Leon Brill; discharge ordered. Atty., Chauncey Brown.

No. 2212. In re George W. Giddens; discharge ordered. Atty., William J. Sullivan.

No. 1950. In re E. D. Maxwell; discharge denied. Atty., Thomas G. Walsh.

No. 2245. In re Hedges & Middleton; Lawrence J. Beller appointed attorney for trustees. Atty., Louis Ottenberg.

No. 2211. In re Edward J. Martin; discharge ordered. Atty., Jacob Friend.

No. 2251. In re Lewis C. Palmer; adjudication and reference to Fred J. Edenferd, jr. Attys., E. A. Moores, A. di Girolamo.

No. 2218. In re W. S. Kenworthy; composition confirmed. Attys., Peelle, Ogilby & Lesh.

DISTRICT COURT—Mr. Justice Alfred A. Wheat presiding; Harry B. Dertzbaugh, clerk.

No. 1987. In re Squares 38 et al.; order to empanel jury for January 7. Atty., A. H. Bell, jr.

No. 1958. In re Butterworth place;

No. 1976. In re Evarts street.

Each case, time to return verdict extended to January 17. Attys., A. H. Bell, jr., W. W. Bride.

No. 1994. In re Simms place;

No. 1993. In re Sandy Spring road.

Each case, order to draw and empanel jury on January 15. Attys., W. W. Bride, A. H. Bell, jr.

PROBATE COURT—Mr. Justice Jennings Bailey, presiding.

Estate of Magnolia Payne; payment authorized. Atty., J. R. McCormick.

Estate of George Charles Kreutzer; order denying probate of testamentary paper and granting letters of administration to Dorothy McFarlane Kreutzer; bond, $7,500. Atty., E. J. Layton.

In re Arch Pool Kepner; Sophia Pool Kepner appointed guardian; bond, $2,000; allowance granted. Atty., Horace O. Jones.

Estate of William C. Martin; petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Atty., J. Lisemby.

Estate of Flora F. Brown; will filed dated November 7, 1929.

In re Emily Frances McMaugh; Frank J. McMaugh appointed guardian; bond, $6,000. Attys., M. Whitney, jr.; J. Slattery.

Estate of Elizabeth D. Beall; transfer authorized. Atty., William Meyer Lewin.

Estate of Walter F. Macnichol; petition for letters of administration. Atty., Alex Muncaster.

Estate of Annie Lewis Edwards; petition for probate of will and codicils and letters testamentary. Attys., Whiteford, Marshall & Hart.

Estate of Emma Adams; petition for letters of administration. Atty., C. E. Robinson.

Estate of Ida E. Kidwell; wills filed dated April 7, 1927, and July 6, 1916.

Estate of John W. Torbert; will filed dated June 15, 1922; petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Atty., George C. Gertman.

Estate of Patrick J. Mahaney; will filed dated October 24, 1929.

Estate of Raymond Wilson Dodd; order for commission to issue. Attys., Hamilton & Hamilton.

Estate of Virginia Miller et al.; Joseph D. Malloy appointed guardian; bond, $1,500; expenditures authorized. Atty., T. D. Feyser.

In re Ethel M. Moran; Albert B. Crombie appointed guardian; bond, $500. Attys., Frost & Towers.

Estate of Emma Adams; letters of administration granted to George Gray; bond, $500. Atty., C. E. Robinson.

Estate of Emma L. Minke; will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Charles Martin Minke; special bond, $1,000. Atty., J. E. Larson.

Estate of Walter F. Macnichol; letters of administration granted to Charles Macnichol; special bond, $2,000. Atty., Alexander Muncaster.

CRIMINAL COURT 1—Mr. Justice Peyton Gordon presiding; M. Lee Ashford, clerk.

No. 48384. U. S. vs. William E. Etchison; embezzlement; recognisance $1,500. Patrick F. O'Connor, surety, taken.

G. J. 6706. U. S. vs. Edward M. Christman; personal bond taken.

No. 46759. U. S. vs. William Patten; assault dangerous weapon; nolle prosequi entered. Attys. Whelan & O'Connell.

No. 48785. U. S. vs. Robert S. Jones; assault dangerous weapon; plea guilty entered to first count; nolle prosequi entered as to second count. Atty., John J. Sirica.

No. 48795. U. S. vs. Raymond A. Saunders and Albert B. Sunday; housebreaking and larceny; plea guilty entered as to Saunders; jury sworn as to Sunday and plea guilty entered and jury discharged. Attys. Joseph D. Kelly, Harry N. Connaughton.

No. 48795. U. S. vs. Raymond A. Saunders; housebreaking and larceny; defendant surrendered and committed and surety exonerated. Atty., Joseph D. Kelly.

Grand jury reports death of Arthur Scrivener as suicide.

U. S. vs. Norman Strausburg; recognizance $1,000, Raymond Torrillo, surety, taken.

No. 40486. U. S. vs. Max Halperin; larceny after trust; nolle prosequi entered.

Assignment for Thursday, December 19: Lunacy hearings only.

CRIMINAL COURT 2—Mr. Justice William Hitz presiding; William S. Adkins, clerk.

No. 48688. U. S. vs. William L. Moffatt; violation 851b code; trial resumed and cause given to jury; verdict guilty. Attys., John M. Burnett, Alfred Goldstein.

No. 48783. U. S. vs. Ellsworth E. Brooks; assault dangerous weapon; defendant surrendered and committed and surety exonerated.

No. 48376. U. S. vs. Laurence Walker; violation 215 penal code; jury sworn and resplted.

Assignment for Thursday, December 19: Case on trial only.

LAWSUITS.

No. 77510. Paul F. Loehler vs. New Jersey Fidelity & Plate Glass Insurance Co.; damages $500.000. Atty., Alfred Cercco.

No. 77511. O. G. Loehler vs. New Jersey Fidelity & Plate Glass Insurance Co.; damages, $500.000. Atty., Alfred Cercco.

No. 77512. Joseph William Wright, by next friend, vs. Winifred Pruitt; damages, $30.000. Attys., B. G. Ostmann, E. H. Seal.

No. 77513. Franklin National Bank vs. George Farrah et al.; notes, $2,227.04. Attys., Kelly & Nicolaides.

No. 77514. U. S. ex rel. Clyde V. Berglund vs. Frank T. Hines, &c.; mandamus. Atty., Samuel T. Ansell.

No. 77515. U. S. ex rel Edgar T. Ferguson vs. Frank T. Hines, &c.; mandamus. Atty., Samuel T. Ansell.

No. 77516. Howard W. Phillips et al. vs. Masaponax Sand & Gravel Corporation; account, $4,601.41. Attys., Wheatley & Wheatley.

DOCKETED JUDGMENTS.

No. 909 C. I. Peckham vs. Ernest Admire; judgment, Municipal Court, $350. Atty., Nelson Wilson.

MECHANICS' LIENS.

No. 13202. Security Finance Corp., assignee Economy Heating & Improvement Co., vs. Ella E. Lynch, 720 E st. ne.; $300.

Same assignee A. F. Hamburger, vs. Edith C. Coker, 3711 Georgia ave. nw., $337.

No. 13204. Same, assignee Allied Asphalt Products Co., vs. Charles R. and Margaret T. Baker, 724 Varnum st. nw., $198.

No. 13205. M. Kapneck Elec. Co. vs. Marietta F. Howard, 130 S st. nw., $300.

No. 13206. Same vs. Marietta F. Howard, 128 S st. nw., $250.

No. 13207. Super Concrete Corp. vs. Club Bldg. Corp., lot 38, square 2855.

EQUITY SUIT.

No. 50654. Byron Brown Ralston vs. J. Raymond McCarty &c., et al.; injunction. Attys., Samuel T. Ansell, George M. Wilmeth.

BANKRUPTCY PETITION.

No. 2251. In re Lewis C. Palmer; voluntary action; assets, $10,781.57; liabilities, $2,937.15. Attys., E. A. Moores, A. di Girolomo.

GOLF AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

Is it ever correct to use a wood club in a sand trap? Why or why not?

By CYRIL WALKER.
Former National Open Champion.

It depends on the nature of the trap. If it's a shallow trap, the ball is lying well, and distance is necessary, use a spoon, provided the ball lies far enough from the bank to allow it to rise. This shot can be played very successfully by standing a little farther back of the ball, and playing it from a point about opposite the left instep. But a shot of this nature requires rather expert treatment and is risky business for the average player. The average golfer is courting trouble when he attempts a sand shot with the wood. Under ordinary circumstances he would do better to use an iron.

HARTNETT PROUD PA NOW.

An eight-pound son was born December 4 to Mrs. Gabby Hartnett, wife of the Chicago Cubs' catcher.

COMPETE FOR TROPHY.

The combined Oxford and Cambridge Lacrosse Team of England will play twelve games against American colleges during its invasion of this country next spring. If the Englishmen win a majority of their games they will be given the trophy which Syracuse now holds

THE WASHINGTON POST PIN LEAGUE RECORDS

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct
Bears	22	8	.730	Busts	14	16	.461
Cubs	21	9	.700	Bulls	10	20	.333
Bees	15	15	.500	Tigers	8	22	.266

RECORDS.

High individual game—Money, 156. High individual set—Money, 412. High team game—Cubs, 548. High team set—Bears, 1,520. High strikes—Darnall, 15. High spares—Money, 53. High flat game—Darnall, 93.

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES.

	G.	St.	Sp.	H.G.	H.S.	Ave.
Money	30	15	53	156	412	107-110
Darnall	30	15	47	127	340	105-3
P. Smith	15	9	32	127	352	103-3
Prediger	9	3	17	127	327	103
Suess	30	15	47	130	340	102-10
Hawkins	29	8	41	125	329	101-3
Leek	28	11	37	147	329	99-3
Sloan	30	9	49	129	327	98-22
O. Bergling	30	14	36	116	326	97-16
Kolb	24	6	35	119	342	98-15
Brandt	6	2	5	108	292	97
Lynn	24	5	32	112	313	96-4
Phillips	22	3	30	114	311	95-12
Feller	26	3	31	120	308	95-10
Sherwood	24	8	32	129	323	95-6
Broyles	30	10	40	123	328	92-29
MacFarland	30	6	28	116	311	92-22
Perry	30	9	33	113	298	92-11
Atkinson	24	2	24	108	288	90-19
Kuell	13	3	13	108	291	90-1
Saur	27	11	17	104	288	88-3
Finnell	30	6	28	104	307	87-22
Sauls	30	3	30	103	295	87-15
Pierce	27	7	22	101	279	87-11
Wilson	30	3	18	110	295	86-25
Wyche	30	8	26	105	280	86-25
Fox	4	1	4	98	274	86-18
Flory	27	5	26	103	270	84-14
Selcshnaydre	29	4	19	113	290	81-16
O. Kuell	12	0	10	90	253	81

MARQUETTE, IOWA PLAN CONTESTS

Blue and Gold to Benefit From Big Ten's Ouster of Hawks.

Special to The Washington Post.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 18.—Ouster of the University of Iowa from the Western Conference, now known as the Big Nine, has had its effect in Marquette University athletics in that the local institution appears likely to establish thorough relations with the Hawkeye school.

Most interest now centers on the possibility of a football game between Marquette and Iowa next fall. In fact, Coach Burt Ingwerson, of the Hawkeyes, has announced the tentative scheduling of a grid game for Milwaukee, November 8, 1930.

This happens to be the date on which Marquette authorities have Soldiers Field Stadium, Chicago, under option, and they would like to arrange the game for the Windy City. Before Iowa was voted out of the Western Conference, negotiations had been carried on with Georgetown, Carnegie Tech and Nebraska, but without success.

Home-and-Homg Court Games Result of Ouster.

Home-and-home basket ball games with Iowa this season are another result of the Big Ten action. A game previously had been arranged with the Hawkeyes to be played in Milwaukee, December 21, and Coach Rollie Williams, of the Iowans, now has decided to meet the Hilltoppers in Iowa City as well. It will be the last game of the season for both teams, and will be played March 5 or 6.

Athletic Director Conrad M. Jennings, of Marquette, who is track coach at the local school, also would like to establish relations with the Hawks in his sport. It is likely that Iowa will participate in the central intercollegiate meet here next spring along with Notre Dame, Michigan State, Detroit, Butler and others.

Hyattsville Five Buries Rockville Tossers, 16-3

Hyattsville High School's Five won its second game in two days yesterday when it defeated the Rockville High Team, 22-3, in the Hyattsville Gym. Burying the visitors under an avalanche of baskets, the home team ran up a 16-3 lead at the half and from then on was content to take things easy.

Jarrell and S. Lewis led in the scoring, each accounting for 8 points. Perkins scored the lone field goal for the losers early in the first half. The winners will meet the Tech High School Five on Friday.

Hyattsville.	G	FG	P	Rockville.	G	FG	P
Jarrell, lf.	4	0	8	Lake, lf.	0	0	0
McCheaney, lf	0	0	0	Perkins, lf.	1	0	2
Hurd, rf.	1	0	2	Sternburg, rf.	0	0	0
Ho'esworth, rf	0	0	0	Mardland, c.	0	0	0
Evans, c.	0	0	0	Gowdy, lg.	0	0	0
Morris, c.	0	0	0	Carp, rg.	0	1	1
S. Lewis, lg.	2	2	8				
M. Lewis, rg.	2	0	4	Totals	1	1	3
Totals	10	2	22				

Referee—Gaylor.

Simon Kenton in Front In Jeff Park Feature

Jefferson Park Race Track, New Orleans, Dec. 18 (A.P.).—The sudden drop in the temperature here today was the cause of the attendance falling away below the average. The heavy rain of the early morning made the track a bit slow but the high wind and the constant working of the harrows made the racing strip good.

The fourth race, a six furlong sprint, was the chief event and it went to Simon Kenton, ridden by J. Dyer. Eloise finished second and Rasuli third. Black Flyer was fourth. Black Flyer was away the quickest and he set a fast pace to the top of the stretch, where he began to tire Simon Kenton, which had been running in second place, went in front and drawing out won by half a length. Eloise beat Rasuli a length and a half for the place. The winner paid $7.70 for $2 and the time was 1:14.

Greenock Sets Mark In Feature at Keeney

Keeney Park Race Track, Fla., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—A. Sutro's good 4-year-old Greenock won the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce purse, the feature of today's card. E. F. Sanford's Single Star was second and Xiapa Farm's Molasses Jane was third. Greenock, the favorite, was quoted at 1 to 2. The time for the 6 furlongs was 1:13 4-5, a new track record.

Greenock, racing in his best form, followed Single Star to the last sixteenth and then drew out into an easy lead to win in hand, Single Star set a fast early pace and saved ground the entire trip and always held the others safe. Molases Jane, prominent all the way, was unable to overhaul the leaders.

High Class Dogs Enter Pointer Club Derby

Pinehurst, N. C., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Several braces of dogs out of a field said by the judges to be, on the whole, exceptionally fine, ran their races today in the derby event of the annual field trials of the Pointer Club of America. The derby will be completed tomorrow.

Inasmuch as a second series may be necessary, the judges, R. W. Norman, of Salisbury, N. C., and George W. Parsons, of Rutherford, Ala., would not comment upon the showing made by individual dogs. Speaking of the field as a whole, they said it included many entries of especial merit.

FOXX KEEPS IN SHAPE.

Jimmy Foxx has been playing basket ball around Philadelphia, while working in a local sporting goods store during the winter.

WINNER NOT APPRECIATED.

Tulsa won its third straight pennant in the Western League the past season, but the attendance was poor.

PRINCE GEORGES COUNTY WOMEN.

Coeds.				Dixie Pigs.			
C. Hiser	113	83	96	Carmichael	85	89	93
Crown	83	83	85	Simmons	107	75	84
Eaton	90	90	92	Waldrop	88	83	89
H. Hiser	83	90	79	Gul'kson	106	91	83
W. Hiser	106	92	107	Brunelle	102	86	89
Totals	476	438	455	Totals	488	424	448

PRINCE GEORGES COUNTY MEN.

Clinton.				Sioux.			
Miller	115	84	125	Watson	98	107	98
Ogden	105	91	122	Remmer	87	98	96
Dean	86	90	94	Brown	97	91	93
Dent	114	92	115	Watts	96	101	92
Murray	115	105	90	Dunphy	85	85	89
Totals	536	460	534	Totals	463	482	464

SECTION 2.

College Park.				W. S. S. D. Office.			
Dorrities	83	85	96	Heilman	131	111	111
Baker	95	77	97	Jester	110	103	95
Ferguson	125	104	82	Dummy	85		
Ruffer	104	91	106	Harrison		99	99
Fix	109	113	84	Janeway	104	98	116
Totals	516	470	465	Joyce	142	116	103
				Totals	572	517	517
W. S. S. D. Const.				W. S. S. D. Office.			
Willis	90	93	88	Joyce	96	104	97
Painter	107	106	114	Heilman	135	109	91
Parsons	83	89	97	Jester	108	99	84
Anderson	100	104	90	James	97	91	110
Carrick			86	Beaumont	108	98	104
Canvin	100	91		Totals	544	501	486
Totals	480	483	475				

Lehigh Wrestling Team Preparing for Hard Card

Lightweight Divisions Well Provided for But Heavier Candidates Are Few and Much in Demand.

Special to The Washington Post.

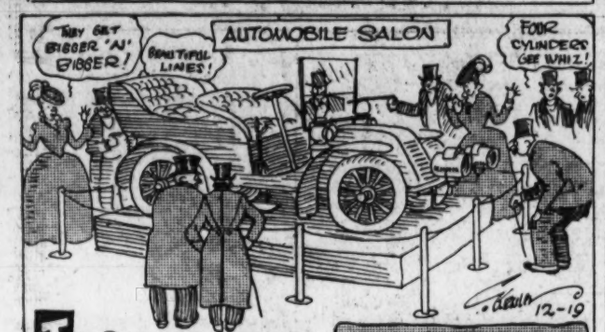
BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 18.—While the Lehigh University Wrestling Team will be well represented in the lighter divisions in spite of the fact that Capt. "Zig" Letowt will be the only letterman back in trunks, Coach Sheridan is no little concerned over the lack of interest shown by the candidates for the heavier divisions.

Several of the big football men were expected to report for mat practices and their failure to do so to date has greatly disappointed the coaches. It is in the heavier divisions that Lehigh is in dire need for material if the team is to be successful in the hope of defending the championship won last March.

Shoemaker Looks Like "Comer."

For the lighter divisions it is not a matter of number but rather the distribution of the excellent material in the few classes there are. For the 118-pound class, George Shoemaker, a youngster quite adept, but who has not yet wrestled in a varsity meet, looks the class. In the National A. A. U. championships held in New York last year, Shoemaker won the championship in the 112-

25 YEARS AGO TODAY



THE PARIS AUTOMOBILE SHOW WAS OF GREAT GENERAL INTEREST TO AMERICANS— FOUR CYLINDER ENGINES WERE SUPREME. ACETYLENE HEADLIGHTS AND WINDSHIELDS WERE AMONG THE NEW FEATURES.

EMMA EAMES, OPERATIC PRIMA DONNA, WAS THE WIFE OF JULIAN STORY, THE ARTIST, AND WAS SINGING IN THE METROPOLITAN OPERA COMPANY

TIN PAN ALLEY
I CAN'T TELL WHY I LOVE YOU, BUT I DO-OO-OO
THIS WORLD IS FULL OF MAIDS THE SAME AS YOU — OO — OO
BUT SOMETHING I CAN'T TELL — SEEMS TO HOLD ME IN A SPELL. I CAN'T TELL WHY I LOVE YOU BUT I DO-OO-OO

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DECEMBER 19, 1904.

Carroll Institute cross-country runners trained in the snow for the annual District run to be held next week.

Tobias Talbert, Washington business man, died at his home at the age of 75.

Nan Patterson, former Washington girl, denied that she killed Caesar Young, New York sportsman. She testified in New York in her own behalf.

A bill to regulate child labor in the District was introduced in Congress by Senator Lodge. It was referred to the District Commissioners.

The fashionable Metropolitan Club at Seventeenth and H streets northwest, was destroyed by fire. Loss was estimated at $50,000.

Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

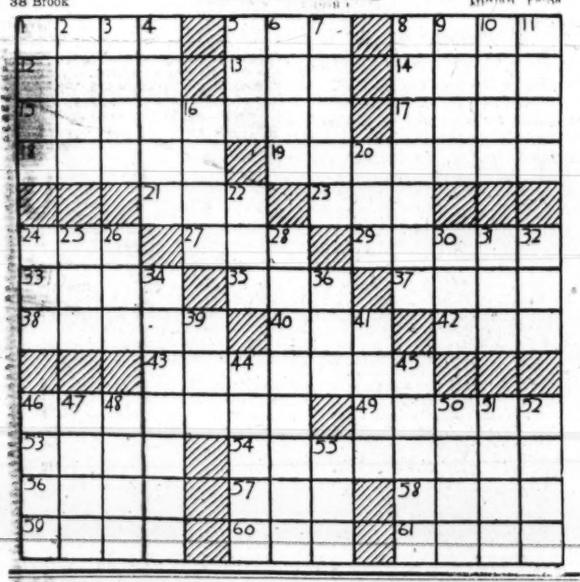
ACROSS.

1 Angel's musical instrument
8 Bison-ox-like bovine
8 Monkeys
12 Great Lake
13 Founder of Yale College; first name
14 Melted rock from a volcano
15 To consign to obscurity
17 Trim or tidy
18 Salute given by simultaneous firing of guns
19 Trying experiences
21 Terminus
23 Title of respect
24 Sleeveless coat worn in Arabia
27 Mistake
29 Secret bargain made in politics (plural)
33 Protuberance on root of plant
35 Besides
37 To let fall in globules
38 Brook
40 Convulsive cry
42 Coral reef
43 Complains
46 Certain tropical fruits
49 Passageway in a theater
53 Uproar
54 More vigorous
56 Unemployed
57 Obstinate
58 Historical reckoning of years
59 Meadow (poetic)
60 Prior to
61 Transmitted

DOWN.

1 Belonging to that female
2 Superficial extent
3 Brook
4 To vex
5 Yes
6 Low female voice
7 Bleaching vats (var)
8 Changed
9 City and river in Brazil
10 Morally bad
11 Bends downward in middle
16 Departed
20 Achieved
22 Parched
24 The primer
25 Burdock
26 Beer
28 One who opposes
30 Flat-bottomed boat or scow
31 Recline
32 Discover by stealth
34 Scolded
36 Unit of weight
39 View or cognizance
41 Endure
44 Faded; used in masculine nouns
45 Lateral parts
46 Margin
47 Assistant
48 Town in Italy where Caesar died
50 Progenitor
51 Thin
52 Formerly (poetic)
55 One of an Indian tribe

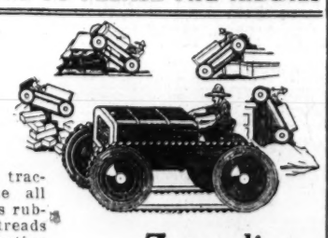
YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.



GIFTS THAT ARE SURE TO PLEASE THE KIDDIES

Climbing Tractors

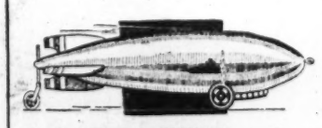
PEOPLES Price, $1.49



A powerful, aluminum tractor, geared to overcome all obstacles in its path. Has rubber caterpillar vacuum treads and special lever for starting and stopping.

Zeppelins

PEOPLES Price, 98c



A large size Zeppelin (28 inches long) made of aluminum. Has wheels so that it may be pulled by a string.

Every Kiddy Will Love One of These

Cunning Teddy Bears

PEOPLES Price, 98c

Made of plush and growls like a real bear. 15 inches tall. In colors of brown, blue and pink.

Other Bears, 79c, $1.19 and $1.49

"All Over Town" PEOPLES DRUG STORES —The Better to Serve You

BUCK ROGERS, 2429 A. D. — *Follows False Clew* — *By Phil Nowlan and Dick Calkins*

I HAD NO INTENTION OF MARRYING HUM-TOY IF I COULD RESCUE WILMA FROM HER BEFORE IT WAS TOO LATE
I RUSHED TO THE CELESTIAL MOGUL
YOUR MAJESTY! HUM-TOY IS FLEEING WITH WILMA ACROSS THE CITY ROOF!
I'LL HAVE POLICE SEARCH THE ROOF AT ONCE!
A POLICE DETAIL FOUND WHERE HUM-TOY HAD DESCENDED, BUT NO FURTHER TRACE OF HER.
SHE CUT THESE STEPS WITH LITTLE FLICKS OF HER DISINTEGRATOR!
SHE MUST BE DOWN IN THE CITY, THEN
BELOW, I WANDERED THE STREETS.
"THERE SHE GOES, SURE AS ROCKETS! SHE'S GOT WILMA IN THAT BUNDLE!
(COPYRIGHT JOHN DILLE CO.)
WH-WHY IT'S NOT HUM-TOY!
ARE YOU CRAZY? YOU MADE ME SPILL MY RUGS
JACK CALKINS
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TO BE CONTINUED!

ELLA CINDERS— *Keeping Up a Front* — *By Bill Conselman and Charlie Plumb*

Looking for a leading man for the picture she's to direct, and almost giving up hope, Ella sees Cyril Sweet, handsome film hero who once proposed to her.
CYRIL! WHAT LUCK TO SEE YOU AGAIN JUST WHEN I NEED YOU MOST!
I MUST BE DREAMING! IS IT REALLY YOU, ELLA?
TELL ME ALL ABOUT YOURSELF WITH WORDS AND GESTURES!
I'M STILL THE FAIR-HAIRED BOY! THE PRODUCERS ARE ON MY TRAIL ALL THE TIME! MEET ME AT THE BROWN DERBY FOR LUNCHEON TOMORROW AND I'LL TELL YOU ALL ABOUT IT!
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.; Copyright, 1929, by Metropolitan Newspaper Service
HE CAN'T FOOL ME WITH HIS WONDERFUL PRIDE! HIS SUIT IS FRAYED AND HIS SHOES ARE RUN DOWN AT THE HEELS! I'LL BET HE HASN'T FOUND WORK SINCE THE TALKIES CAME IN! BUT HE'S JUST THE LEADING MAN I WANT!
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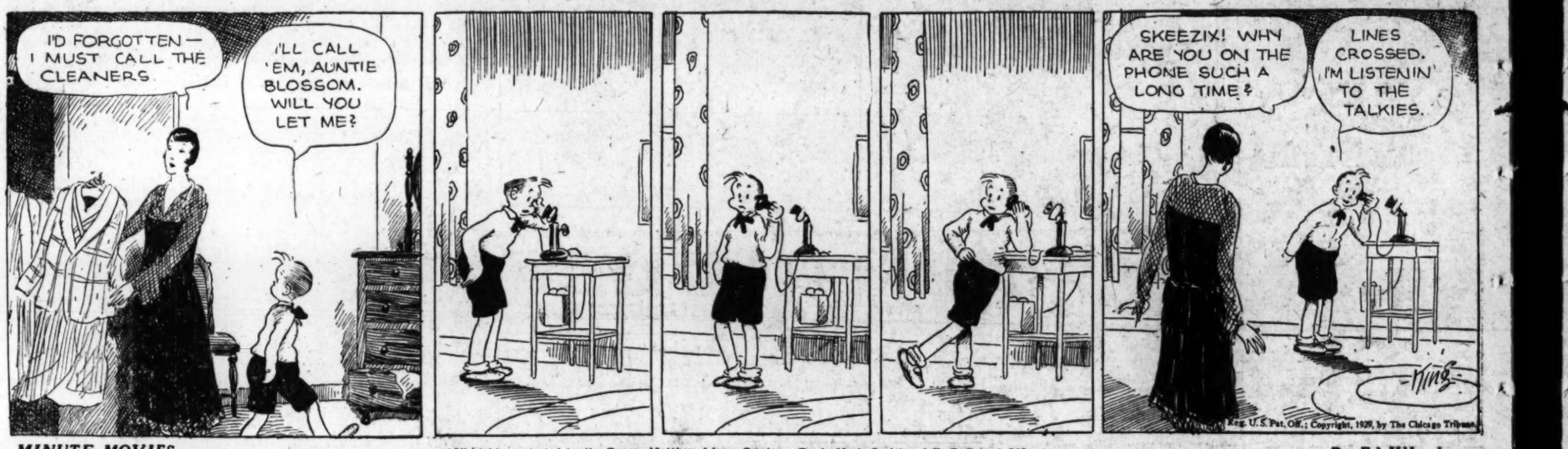
GASOLINE ALLEY — *Home Entertainment*


I'D FORGOTTEN— I MUST CALL THE CLEANERS.
I'LL CALL 'EM, AUNTIE BLOSSOM. WILL YOU LET ME?
SKEEZIX! WHY ARE YOU ON THE PHONE SUCH A LONG TIME?
LINES CROSSED. I'M LISTENIN' TO THE TALKIES.
King
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DAYS OF YORE
A WHEELAN PRODUCTION
EPISODE 27
DE BRISSAC DROPPED BEATRICE AND RUSHED TO THE WINDOW JUST AS AN ARROW WHISTLED OVER HIS HEAD
ODDS BLOOD! WE ARE LOST!!
THERE TO HIS HORROR, HE SAW ROBIN HOOD'S BAND STORMING THE WALLS OF THE CASTLE
WHILE THE BATTLE RAGED ON THE PARAPET, CEDRIC AND GILES QUESTIONED ONE OF DE BRISSAC'S MEN CONCERNING BEATRICE
I KNOW NAUGHT OF HER SIRE - MY HEAD IS STILL BEFUDDLED FROM TOO MUCH WINE!!
AS DE BRISSAC WATCHED IN TERROR ANOTHER ARROW CAUSED HIM TO DROP TO HIS KNEES
HELP-HELP!!
BEATRICE HAD AT LENGTH SUCCEEDED IN LOOSENING THE GAG, AND NOW RAISING HER VOICE SHE SCREAMED WITH ALL HER MIGHT
HELP-HELP- SOMEBODY SAVE ME!!
MEANWHILE IN HIS FRANTIC EFFORTS TO FIND HIS SWEETHEART, GILES SUDDENLY HEARD HER VOICE
HELP HELP
SEE DE BRISSAC'S DRAMATIC END IN TOMORROW'S EPISODE
11-18

BOBBY THATCHER — *A Rare Bargain!* — *By George Storm*

WHEN IT SEEMED THAT THE ENTIRE TREASURE WAS ABOUT TO SLIP INTO THE HANDS OF OLD TURTLEBACK CONSTABLE RAINEY CROWDER SAVED THE DAY FOR THE BOYS — TO SHOW THEIR APPRECIATION THEY ARE ABOUT TO MAKE HIM A PRESENT OF A BOX OF CIGARS —
AND IF YOU WANT SOMETHING REALLY FINE THESE PANATELAS WOULD COME TO — AH — FIVE DOLLARS A BOX —
WRAP EM UP THEN MR-OW!
WE'LL THINK IT OVER AND MAYBE COME BACK, MR GILBERT—
NUDGE
WHY WAS THAT?
BECAUSE TUBBY SAYS AT THE OTHER DRUG STORE THEY GOT A DIFFERENT KIND FOR HALF THAT MUCH — SAME SIZE BOX AND ALL THE CIGARS WRAPPED IN TIN FOIL
WHAD I TELL YOU?
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THE GUMPS — *Merry Christmas—Uncle Bim*

THINK OF IT — TO-MORROW - HENRIETTA - I WILL BE BY YOUR SIDE — THE DEAREST AND FAIREST WOMAN ON EARTH — I WONDER IF YOU HAVE CHANGED — I WONDER WHAT THE OUT-COME OF THIS VISIT WILL BE — AND I WONDER IF YOU TOO ARE TIRED OF LIVING A LONELY SELFISH LIFE —
TO BIMBO FROM HEAVENEYES
AND THOSE DEAR OLD GUMPS — ANDY AND MIN — THE SALT OF THE EARTH — AND LITTLE CHESTER AND GOLIATH — WELL — IT WON'T BE LONG NOW —
AND SO BIM GUMP THE AUSTRALIAN BILLIONAIRE SPENDS HIS TIME PLANNING AND THINKING OF THE WONDERFUL HOLIDAYS BEFORE HIM —
AND IN THE MEANTIME OTHERS ARE THINKING — THINKING OF BIM AND HIS ARRIVAL
WELL — ONLY A FEW MORE HOURS NOW, MIN — AND UNCLE BIM WILL BE WITH US —
THE GUMPS
I CAN HARDLY WAIT
SIDNEY SMITH
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FOR SALE—Chevy chase, D. C., open and lighted until 9 p. m., 5510 Nevada ave., new, center hall, detached frame, 8 rms., 2 ba., gar., $12,500 (less than cost to duplicate land and bldg.); $500 cash, $100 monthly. Fulton R. Gordon, Continental Trust Bldg. District 5231.

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE MODERN BRICK AND STONE APARTMENT BUILDING KNOWN AS PREMISES 1800 EYE STREET NORTHWEST

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded in Liber No. 5621, folio 279 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale by public auction, in front of the premises, on TUESDAY, THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1929, AT THREE-THIRTY O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, to wit: Lot 198 in Florence Barbour's subdivision of lots in square 5604, as per plat recorded in the office of the surveyor for the District of Columbia in Liber 85, at folio 18. Subject to the covenants of record.

TERMS OF SALE: The above property will be sold subject to a prior deed of trust for $6,500.00, particulars at sale; balance cash. A deposit of $300.00 required of purchaser at time of sale. All conveyancing, recording and notarial fees at cost of purchaser. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise the trustee reserves the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser, after five days advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in the City of Washington, D. C.
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TRUSTEES' SALES.

District Sales Today.

Brick dwelling, 1124 B street northwest. Lot 22 in square 307. Residential 40 foot "B" area. Terms of sale, one-third of the purchase price to be paid in cash and the balance in two equal installments, due in one and two years. Deposit $300. Sale in front of premises at 3 p. m. Adam A. Weschler, auctioneer.

Two-story brick dwelling, containing three apartments, 1311 Sixth street northwest. Part of original lot 3 in square 480. First commercial 60 foot "C" area. Sold subject to a first trust of $4,000. Terms of sale, balance over trust in cash. Deposit $300. Sale in front of the premises at 4 p. m. Adam A. Weschler, auctioneer.

Two-story brick dwelling, 2904 Eighteenth street northwest. Residential 60 foot "A" area. Lot 498 in square 2587. Sold subject to a first trust of $6,500. Terms of sale, balance over trust in cash. Deposit $300. Sale in front of premises at 4:30 p. m. Thos. J. Owen, auctioneer.

SALES DECEMBER 18.

Three-story brick dwelling, 1827 Corcoran street northwest. Sold to Elizabeth R. Holmes.

Four story brick apartment containing twenty-four apartments, southwest corner of Fifth and D streets southeast. Sold to Eugene Casey.

Dwelling, 349 Eleventh street southeast. Sold to Adelaide M. Knopp.

All other sales postponed account of inclement weather.

AUCTION SALES

ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED REAL ESTATE, NO. 1124 B STREET NORTHWEST (CORNER 12TH STREET).

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded in liber No. 5808, folio 490, et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at request of party secured thereby the undersigned trustees will offer for sale by public auction in front of the premises, on THURSDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1929, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, to-wit: Lot 22, in E. A. Clifford's subdivision of lots in Square 307, as per plat recorded in liber 18, folio 35 of the records of the Office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, the balance in two equal installments, represented by promissory notes of purchaser, payable in one and two years, with interest at 6 per cent per annum from day of sale, payable semiannually, secured by deed of trust upon property sold, or all cash, at option of purchaser. A deposit of $300 required of purchaser at sale. All conveyancing, recording and notarial fees at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with within ten days from day of sale, otherwise trustees reserve the right

NEWS OF LATEST HAPPENINGS IN MARYLAND AND VIRGINIA

PROGRAMS PLANNED BY FAIRFAX SCHOOLS

Christmas Entertainments to Be Presented Today and Tomorrow.

FIREMEN HOLD ELECTION

FAIRFAX BUREAU OF THE POST.
P. O. Box 245, Vienna, Va.
Phone Vienna 64.

As the schools of Fairfax County will close tomorrow for the Christmas holidays and will not resume their studies until after New Year's, special Christmas programs are being presented by the children in all the schools of the county.

The Clifton Parent-Teachers Association will meet in the schoolhouse at 7:30 o'clock this evening, where Miss Rosamund Burke will report on the National Parent-Teachers Association meeting, in Richmond, during the Thanksgiving holidays. Following the business meeting the school children will present their Christmas program. The welcome will be given by Anna Fletcher and a song, "Away in the Manger," will be sung by Mildred Clinton, Nellie Mathers, Omah DeBusk and Mary Alice Ladue. The operetta "The Christmas Garden" will be presented. The cast has been named as follows: The sun, Jesse Fairfax; the moon, Roy Burke; the stars, Mildred Clinton, Nellie Mathers, Omah DeBuck and Mary Alice Ladue; holly, Harry Buckley; mistletoe, Mary Buckley; snow, Spencer Isom; blow, Randolph Mathers; Kris Leon Buckley; flowers: Pansy, Cora Buckley; rose, Dorothy Mathers; lily, Katherine Robey; Jack-in-the-pulpit, Kenyon Davis.

Between the acts "Waiting Up for Santa Claus" will be recited by Hazel Myers and Johnie Hunsberger, and "If I Watch Up for Santa," by Norman Stamm. A Christmas chorus will be sung by the High School Glee Club. A nativity scene, "The Bethlehem Stable," will be given. The characters are: Mary, Earline Dodson; Joseph, William Van Dornes; three wise men, Janet Dinges, Elizabeth Ruff and Ethel Buckley; the angel, Virginia Buckley; the prolocutor, Rebecca Hopkins. The farewell recitation will be given by Cora Buckley.

The Woodlawn School will hold its entertainment in the schoolhouse tonight. The 4-H Club will serve refreshments.

A Christmas entertainment will be given tonight by the pupils of the Annandale School.

The Jefferson Literary Society of the Falls Church High School will present its Christmas program this afternoon in the high school.

Tomorrow the teachers of the Burke School have arranged a Christmas program with a Christmas tree and a treat for the children.

The McLean Junior League of the McLean School, will give its Christmas program tomorrow morning. The senior class is planning to hold a minstrel show in the near future to pay for its class rings. Gordon E. Smith, principal, is in charge of the arrangements.

The Colvin Run School and Community League will hold their Christmas tree celebration jointly with the school children tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the schoolhouse.

Tonight at 8 o'clock the Lincolnia School will present its Christmas program. Refreshments will be sold by the junior auxiliary for the benefit of the school library fund.

The Oakton School is planning to have a Christmas tree in each classroom, and many of the teachers have arranged short programs to be given in the classes tomorrow morning. The main program will be given by the junior league from 10 until 12 o'clock.

The senior class of the Madison School at Falls Church will hold a Christmas dance tomorrow night in the schoolhouse. Betty Keith Harrison, Catherine Flagg and Mary Shreve will serve on the refreshment committee. Carolyn Hurst is the chairman of the general management and decorations committee. Other members are George Adams, Francis Jones, Jane Kline and Margaret Yates. Jessie Pinkard has charge of tickets. The assistant principal, Miss Ann Harris, will act as the chaperon.

Christmas programs will also be given at the Fairfax and Herndon schools tomorrow.

C. B. Barton was elected president of the Vienna Council, Order of Fraternal Americans, at a meeting Tuesday evening in the council hall. Howard King was elected vice president; George W. Darn, recording secretary; A. G. Kenyon, assistant recording secretary; Charles M. Jones, financial secretary; L. E. Wright, treasurer; Richard Sinclair, warden; Lester Poole, marshal; John Walker, inside sentinel; Robert Porch, outside sentinel; the Rev. Benjamin Trammel, chaplain; three-year trustee, R. W. Wood. Howard Kenyon was elected representative to the State council, with Charles Jones as alternate.

The McLean Council, Order of Fraternal Americans, elected as its new president C. H. Furlong; Seldon Byrnes, vice president; Walter L. Mallory, recording secretary; James Donaldson, assistant recording secretary; C. A. Grubb, financial secretary; Samuel W. Darne, treasurer; W. D. Cummins, marshall; Ralph Darne, warden; Aubrey Dailey, inside sentinel; Edward Heath, outside sentinel, and W. P. Davis, chaplain. Raymond Ball was selected as representative to the State council and James Byrnes alternate. Raymond Ball was made eighteen months' trustee.

The new officers of the two councils will be installed some time in January.

The Mount Vernon Grange will hold a meeting in Sherwood Hall at Woodlawn tomorrow evening. The lecturer's hour will be given over to the singing of Christmas hymns and a Christmas play given by the young people. Mrs. D. J. Garber, lecturer, has charge of the program. Mr. and Mrs. Gillingham will give a report on the State Grange meeting in Lynchburg.

The first organization meeting of the Fairfax County Riding and Hunt Club was held last night at Fairfax. Thomas R. Keith presided at the meeting with Beverly M. Coleman, of Washington, acting as secretary. A. Smith Bowman, of Sunset Hills, Va., was elected president; Mrs. A. A. Snyder, of Washington, vice president; Mrs. Inez Keys, of Sunset Hills, secretary-treasurer, and Roland Dawson, master of hounds for the Hunt Club. Honorary memberships were extended to the masters of the hounds of the hunt clubs at Warrenton, Middleburg, Leesburg and Casanova. It was decided to postpone the election of a board of directors until the next meeting.

Mrs. Snyder was appointed chairman of the membership committee, consisting of Robert D. Graham, of Fairfax; E. M. Palmer of Barcroft, Va., and Herbert M. Powell, of Herndon. There was a general discussion of the amount of dues but action was deferred until a later meeting, which will be called by President Bowman. The hunt to be held Saturday will start at Herndon.

The Robert E. Lee Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, at Falls Church, will hold its meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. M. Herring, at Falls Church. Plans will be discussed to send Christmas boxes to the elderly friends of the chapter. Arrangements will also be made for the birthday party of Gen. Robert E. Lee January 19, 1930.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church, at Falls Church, will hold their meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert Allan Castleman. The election of officers will take place at that time. Mrs. Samuel Styles, Miss Agnes Smith and Mrs. Rufus Lane are the nominating committee.

Walter U. Varney, of the Potomac Fire Department, was unanimously reelected president of the Arlington-Fairfax Firemen's Association at a meeting in Herndon Tuesday night. George F. Frank Allwine, of Jefferson District, was named secretary-treasurer and Clayton C. Donaldson, of Cherrydale, treasurer of the relief fund. Albert C. Scheffel was elected fire marshal.

George F. Harrison, of Herndon, gave the address of welcome, after which Delegate-elect Leon L. Freeman, of Fairfax County, stated that he would make every effort at the coming session of the State Legislature to have a law passed whereby the volunteer fire companies would have some support from the boards of supervisors of the counties. The bill which he plans to introduce will be modeled after the Maryland law, which allows the boards of supervisors to levy a tax assessment for fire-prevention purposes and to allot the money to each company according to the amount of equipment it owns. He will also make an effort to have the Ball fireman's act amended so as to include the Fairfax County firemen. This act allows $3,500 compensation for a fireman killed in a line of duty and $50 a week if injured.

Thomas McHugh, president of the Potomac Department, made Potomac's farewell address to the association.

J. A. Dawkins, of Arlington, chairman of the annual memorial services, stated that arrangements had been completed to hold the memorial services in the Arlington Methodist Protestant Church, on Columbia pike, January 5, at 3 o'clock and that all firemen, their wives and the general public are invited to attend.

The St. James Parochial School and the Villa Maria Academy, at West Falls Church, will close tomorrow for the Christmas holidays. An operetta will be given by the pupils of the St. James School, to which the public has been invited. The Christmas tree and the distribution of gifts and candy will be in charge of the sisters of the school.

Germans Praise Virginia Markets

System of Handling Farm Crops Attracts Attention of Berlin Institute.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Virginia's progress in marketing farm products has attracted the attention of the institute for farm marketing in Berlin, Germany, established this year for the first time in connection with the State Agricultural College in Berlin.

Prof. K. Brandt, director of the institute, has written J. H. Meek, Virginia director of markets, for copies of all State acts on standardization and inspection of farm products.

"I am convinced," wrote Prof. Brandt, "that your fast-progressing work in the marketing of farm products will give us many good points for our work in the same field."

Pamphlets were sent by the State director covering inspection of agricultural products, fruits and vegetables; grading and marketing of apples, rules for certifying poultry flocks and for certifying hatcheries. The German institute was also placed on the mailing list of the Virginia department.

PREPARATIONS MADE FOR SCHOOL CENSUS

All Children Between Ages of 6 and 20 Will Be Enumerated.

FORMS ARE MAILED OUT

Richmond, Va., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Officials and employes of the Virginia State Department of Education are making preparations for taking the census in 1930, done every five years, of all children between the ages of 6 and 20, on which the next State appropriation for schools will be based.

Forms are now being mailed out from the State department, and before June 1, 1930, the census will be taken, probably in April and May, and a report made to the State Assembly in 1932. The last census was taken in 1925.

In that year, records in the education department show, there were 701,534 children of school age in Virginia, of which 549,709 were in the counties and 151,825 in the cities. The total number of white children was 484,732 and 216,802 colored. All children who have passed their sixth birthday and have not reached the twentieth are included.

In a letter of instructions forwarded to division school superintendents by Harris Hart, State superintendent of public instruction, careful selection of teachers as census enumerators was urged, it being stated that in some instances superintendents have expressed a preference for using one or two selected men to take the census for the entire county or city. All agents to take the school census must be recommended by the superintendent and approved by the school board.

"If the work is to be done by school teachers," Superintendent Hart's instructions read, "the last two months of the session would appear to be the best season for the field work to be done. If one or two men are to be selected to do the entire work, they should be started on their field work on or about February 1."

Morgantown Newspaper Changes Its Ownership

Special to The Washington Post.

Morgantown, W. Va., Dec. 18.—The Morgantown Daily New Dominion has been sold by John L. Stewart, who owned it for several years, to Cecil B. Northrop, J. Monroe Boyer and George A. Anderson.

The New Dominion has been independent in politics since Mr. Stewart owned it, but it will hereafter be a Democratic newspaper. Northrop will be the president and publisher, Anderson, vice president and editor, and Boyer, secretary, treasurer and manager.

SUPERVISORS' FIRM IN DEBT TO COUNTY

Immediate Payment of Water Tax Bill of $10,480 Is Asked of Hedrick.

CHIEFS REPLY TO GRANT

ARLINGTON COUNTY.
BUREAU OF THE POST.
Tel. Clar. 509. Clarendon, Va.

Attention of the Board of Supervisors of Arlington County was called yesterday to a reported indebtedness of the Arlington Investment Corporation to the Water Department of $10,480.06 for the installation of water connections and sewers in the Waycroft Subdivision.

The matter was brought before the supervisors by Commonwealth's Attorney William C. Gloth through a letter which he had written B. M. Hedrick, who is said to be a stockholder, director and manager of the investment company, as well as a supervisor of the county, asking immediate payment of the bill, which, for water alone, amounts to $6,735.06.

Gloth in his letter declared that no cash payment has been made to the Water Department for the work which was completed May 29, 1929. Neither have notes signed by the Arlington Investment Corporation been tendered in payment.

However, since the letter was sent to Hedrick, Gloth told the supervisors that an undated note for $5,085 had been received, the amount claimed as the balance after deducting $1,650 alleged to have been paid a contractor for digging one of the sewer ditches in the subdivision.

In this connection, Gloth told the supervisors that after a conference with County Engineer C. L. Kinnier it was learned that K. Messick, a contractor, could do the work more cheaply than the county, and Messick was awarded the contract. The investment firm was to pay such costs back to the county in installments, it was said.

The county has paid out $3,475 for this work with a balance of $505 still due Messick, according to Gloth, who holds that payment of $1,650 to the contractor by the Arlington Investment Corporation is illegal.

Gloth's letter to Hedrick avers that the corporation is indebted to the county for the $6,735.06 due on water service and $3,745 paid by the county for construction work, making a total of $10,480.06, not including the $505 still due Messick. The supervisors have turned the matter over to Gloth for settlement.

Declaring that Arlington County needs all of its present available water front, the county board of supervisors yesterday unanimously adopted the following letter as its answer to one recently received from Lieut. Col. U. S. Grant 3d, executive officer of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission, relative to its plans and water-front needs of Arlington County for industrial development:

"Replying to your letter concerning regional plans, industrial development and water front needed by Arlington County, you are advised that our decision in the case of the Sun Oil case, which you mention, has direct bearing upon the questions you propound.

"However, we accede to your request that we express our views in this matter so that you may be clearly and frankly apprised of our policies and our opinion as to the development of Arlington County to the best interests of its citizens.

"Before proceeding further, it might be well to inform you of the general relation of our board to county matters. As the elected, executive and responsible representatives of the county communities, we are necessarily in constant contact with the civic needs and actual living conditions of our citizens. In some cases, situations of veritable hardships and suffering exist, particularly with respect to roads, schools and sanitation. On the latter, as you know, depend the health of our citizens and the avoidance of epidemic, illness and disease. Educational and road needs are too well known to require further mention. These needs are immediate, constant and imperative, and funds to meet them must be obtained now and not years hence. To supply these demands is our highest duty as supervisors.

"As you must know, there is only one method by which these urgent demands may be met—taxation. A large portion of our county is already in Federal hands, useless for taxation, as the Government pays no taxes, and in some respects a detriment and liability. The District of Columbia in similar circumstances receives substantial financial aid from the Government. Arlington County receives none. The revenue from such land as has been left us we must preserve, if we are to improve living conditions in proportion to our general economic progress and relieve from burdensome and confiscatory taxes the homes of our families in moderate circumstances, which constitute the great bulk of our population. This is the aim, present and future, of every conscientious official of our county.

"Largely, our citizens are salaried employes, whose well-being and comfort are as much our concern as that of the comparatively few owners of palatial residences maintained by independent means. We can not allow great tracts of land to remain idle, worthless to their owners and to the county from the standpoint of income, while it is possible to place them in a revenue producing condition, the reasonable taxes from which are urgently needed.

"We recall, in this connection, that taxes on an industrial project approved by our Board of Supervisors with the year, have been lost to us by opposition from the District of Columbia, in which opposition government officials took an active part, and that since that time industrial expansion has continued opposite us on the District shore without audible complaint. With respect to that shore it may be said that, although presumably under the jurisdiction of your commission for years past, it cannot favorably compare with the appearance of the Potomac shore under our own administration.

"It is unnecessary to tell you that our only waterfront, which, because of the depth of the water, will accommodate commercial and industrial development, is above Key Bridge and because of its limited extent, every foot of it is needed for industrial and commercial purposes."

Answers in detail to questions submitted follow:

Q. What industrial development requiring access to water transportation can Arlington County count on?

A. Due to the attitude assumed by your commission, Arlington County finds it difficult to count on any such development, but in view of the demand for waterfront facilities in the face of your opposition, we have no doubt that all of our waterfront available for commercial purposes will be utilized as such.

Q. What total industrial and commercial waterfront should be reserved for such developments in the next 25 years?

A. All of our waterfront available for such purposes, which is the waterfront in the vicinity of Rossiyn adjacent to deep water.

Q. What would be the value to the county of such developments? How will this value be realized?

A. Of inestimable value.

The industrial and commercial use of this frontage will provide the cheapest known transportation of freight to the center of the county. This will to a great extent relieve vehicle congestion on the orads, particularly large trucking, at both ends of Key Bridge, Georgetown and Rosslyn included, and to the sam eextent preserve the roads.

Particularly, such waterfront will bring additional taxable values to the county. Public service corporations alone now pay a large proportion of the county revenue.

Q. What areas can best be reserved for such development; that is, where can it be located with least detriment to residential values?

A. The Rosslyn district has been used for commercial purposes for nearly 50 years, and prior to any attempt to develop it as residential territory. This district is particularly adapted to the use proposed, and it would be as idle to hold otherwise as to say that Georgetown should be wiped out in the hope that it might be some day rebuilt with expensive residences.

Q. Your views are requested as to the relative advantages Arlington County offers for industry as compared with suburban residential use. Which use is the more valuable and promising to the county, and which should, therefore, be the determining interest?

A. While this question is in the nature of an argument reaching a conclusion in which we can not concur, we answer it as follows: There is room in this county for every type of use of land, residential, industrial, commercial, &c. Advantages as between industrial and residence use are not relative. There is room for both, and the elimination of either would result in tremendous economic loss.

In view of the fact that you have specifically mentioned the Sun Oil case, we might state, in conclusion, that we do not consider the wholesale distribution of goods and supplies of any character as "industrial" in the sense that that word is apparently being used. In our opinion such distribution at decreased costs afforded by water transportation is a distinct benefit to the county and its taxpayers.

Mrs. Marie Groves has been elected noble grand of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, of Falls Church. Other officers are Mrs. Lillian Groves, vice grand; Miss Margaret Kimball, recording secretary; Mrs. Mary Vandermark, financial secretary, and Mrs. Cora Abbott, treasurer.

The newly elected officers will be installed at the meeting to be held January 6. Virginia Dare Rebekah Lodge, of Dumfries, will be asked to conduct the installation ceremonies.

The appointive officers will be announced at the January meeting.

There will be a meeting of the board of directors of the Arlington County Chamber of Commerce this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the directors' rooms in the Rees Building at Clarendon.

The Arlington Rotary Club meets today at 12:30 o'clock at the Washington Golf and Country Club. Dr. R. N. Sutton, president, will preside.

Mrs. Evelyn Garrison was elected councilor at the annual meeting and election of officers of the Ballston Council, No. 20, Daughters of America, held last night. Other officers are: Mrs. Notie Hoffman, associate councilor; Mrs. Eula Spitzer, vice councilor; Mrs. Effie Hackley, associate vice councilor; Mrs. Annie Plaugher, conductor; Mrs. Sadie Ellis, warden; Mrs. Sanholtz, inside sentinel; Mrs. Haislitt, outside sentinel; Mrs. Mellie Pyles, trustee for eighteen months, and Mrs. Hackley, Mrs. Nettie Petitt and Mrs. Mary Pollard, representatives to the State Council of Virginia.

The newly elected officers will be installed at the January meeting.

Arlington Lodge, No. 42, A. F. and A. M., will elect officers at its meeting to be held tonight in the Masonic Temple at Cherrydale.

Tax Revaluations Arouse Protests

Easton Residents Object to Appraisal by Expert on Property.

Special to The Washington Post.

Easton, Md., Dec. 18.—At a meeting of the taxpayers of Easton last night, Walter W. Pollock, president of the Manufacturers Appraisal Co., of Philadelphia, employed to revalue the city for taxation, was unable to stem the tide against the figures submitted.

Practically every lot in Easton was greatly increased in value by the appraisal and the taxpayers, both men and women, who filled the courthouse, protested.

An effort was made to throw out all the work done by the appraiser and adopt that of the county and State. This failed. Finally it was agreed to have each ward select three men to revise the values in conjunction with Mr. Pollock.

These were, First Ward: J. F. Clark, F. H. Wrighton, F. S. Lewis; Second Ward: W. R. Walker, C. W. Roe, R. D. Fleckenstein; Third Ward: J. C. Richardson, G. A. Pool, E. K. Startt; Fourth Ward: A. Clay Lewis, Frank Ross, M. M. Wright.

RITCHIE APPOINTS TWO STATE BOARDS

Commissions on Land Laws and Higher Education Are Announced.

DR. BARKER IS LEADER

Special to The Washington Post.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 18.—Gov. Ritchie announced today the appointments of two important special commissions, which were provided for by the last legislature, the Maryland Commission on Higher Education and the Land Laws Commission.

The appointees to the education commission are George M. Shriver, vice president Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, Baltimore; Dr. Lewellyn F. Barker, Baltimore; Judge Eli Frank, Baltimore; Miss Lavina Engle, director of the Maryland League of Women Voters, Forest Glen, Montgomery County; Morton M. Prentis, president First National Bank, Baltimore; M. Ernest Jenkins, Baltimore, and William Stanley, Laurel.

"I have asked Mr. Shriver to arrange for the first meeting at some convenient time and place."

Named on the Land Laws Commission are Frank J. Hoen, Worthington Valley, Baltimore County, attorney, with offices in Baltimore; Vernon Cook, attorney, Cumberland; C. Alexander Fairbank, jr., attorney, Baltimore; B. H. Hartogensis, attorney, Baltimore.

Need for Policy Seen.

With regard to the education commission, Gov. Ritchie said: "The relationship between the State on one hand and the University of Maryland and the various State-aided colleges, on the other, has presented difficult questions for a good many years.

"Different opinions have existed as to what the university's scope of development should be and on one occasion, at least, these led to a serious division in the legislature.

"Our public school system has been placed upon a sound and well-understood basis. The policies behind that system, including the equalization fee, provisions for teacher training and other important matters have been settled, so that the future of our public schools is principally a question of administrative and executive efficiency.

"At the last Legislature it seemed to me that the time had come when the State's policy toward higher education should be similarly established, and that a future program for carrying out such policy, say for the next five or ten years, should, as far as possible, be mapped out. This would involve the future needs of the University of Maryland during such period, and if accepted it ought to eliminate controversies in future Legislatures as to the budget requirements of the university in all its departments, both College Park and in Baltimore City, and including, of course, the University Hospital.

"Such a study would also consider the State's future relationship to the several State-aided colleges, such as St. John's, Washington, Western Maryland, Johns Hopkins and others, and their status, financial and otherwise, with regard to State help.

"The plan of making the Johns Hopkins University a graduate institution may also have considerable effect on the other colleges of the State and on the facilities which the State should afford in furnishing undergraduate education.

"With the purpose of having a comprehensive study of this kind made, I conferred with Dr. Lewellyn F. Barker and others as to the lines it should take and then prepared a bill which was introduced in the legislature and duly passed, providing for the appointment of the Maryland Commission on Higher Education.

Tax Strain to Be Avoided.

"This was Chapter 56 of the Acts of 1929 and it authorized the governor to appoint a commission of seven members to report to the governor and the legislature of 1931. its recommendations.

"After a great deal of consideration, I have selected a commission which I feel is excellently equipped for this important work, and which is composed of practical people who will approach the problems in a broad and constructive way, and who, at the same time, are not likely to make recommendations which are too advanced or too extensive for this State and its taxpayers to meet."

The Land Laws Commission act authorizes the governor to appoint a commission of five members of whom not more than three are to be of the same political party, and whose duty is to investigate the land and inheritance laws of the State, and recommend to the governor and the legislature of 1931, such revisions thereof as they deem advisable.

Father Seeking $10,000 For Death of Youth

Special to The Washington Post.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 18.—Charles W. Smelzer, administrator for his son, Charles W., jr., has filed suit here against the Nation Fruit Product Co. for $10,000 damages for the death of the boy, who was killed in an apple conveyor at the company's plant here some weeks ago.

The father is employed at the plant and it was into his arms that the lifeless body of the boy dropped after the accident.

BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES

BIRTHS REPORTED.

Robert L. and Esther Marianer, boy.
Elmer H. and Anna J. Herrell, girl.
Edward J. and Blanche V. Force girl twins.
Howard J. and Florence W. Newton, girl.
Lewis F. and Laurel Mullisan, girl.
Robert W. and Marie Leukel, girl.
John H. and Jobyna Payne, boy.
Henry B. and Fanny V. Daney, boy.
James V. and Mary A. Daly, boy.
George G. and Lillian L. Stonebraker, boy.
John and Anna Milstead, boy.
Marshall T. and Helen Jones, boy.
John L. and Harriett O. Baden, boy.
Eldred and Viola T. Nicholson, boy.
Manuel O. and Lena G. Abell, boy.
Jesse and Edna Rhodes, girl.
Carl and Anna Gunnell, girl.
Robert E. and Alice Robson, girl.
John S. and Thelma A. King, girl.
John and Mary Sampogna, girl.
Cecil and Malinda Chatman, girl and boy, twins.
William and Ruby Parker, girl.
Frederick and Mary Brown, boy.
Murray and Dorothy Johnson, girl.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Frederick Alexander Ray, 46, and Ann Eylser Gillner, 29. The Rev. Harry V. Wheeler.
Clarence Outlaw, 22, and Elsie Butler, 19. The Rev. R. J. Proehlich.
Charlie Simpkins, 22, and Jannie Bronson, 21. The Rev. James T. Harvey.
Ernest Dotson, 22, and Ethel C. Jackson, 18. Judge R. E. Mattingly.
Lloyd Garrison, 62, and Anna M. Garretson, 48. Rock Island, Ill. The Rev. Lindley D. Clark.
William F. Craven, 19, and Helen C. Sherier, 17. The Rev. M. F. Yinglins.
William G. Stapelkamp, 48, Trenton, N. J., and Alice L. Palmone, 42, Baltimore, Md. The Rev. John E. Briggs.
Horace Roland, 26, and Elizabeth Fowler, 20. The Rev. George W. Brent.
Allan James Contise, 36, and Beulah Brown, 21. The Rev. W. D. Jarvis.
Vincent W. Hill, 25, and Bernice A. Mason, 22. The Rev. Alonzo J. Olds.
John Lee Ball, 26, and Ivy I. Mays. The Rev. G. Berkley Griffith.
Lawrence Glaser, 27, and Miriam Baturin, 26. The Rev. William P. Rosenblum.
Edward Siolark, 21, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mary Simpson, 23. Judge R. E. Mattingly.
Ralph H. Haigler, 24, and Helen Mary Taymar. The Rev. Frank Steelman.
Edward C. Perusse, 27, and Margaret A. Overby, 26. The Rev. J. J. Coady.
Paul Kendall, 24, and Margaret May Eyler, 24. Cumberland, Md. The Rev. William Pierpont.
Walter Carter, 22, Richmond, Va., and Mary Dalenz, 21, Richmond, Va. The Rev. Andrew R. Bird.
Maurice Sherr, 29, Hanover, Pa., and Celia Slutzky, 23, Philadelphia, Pa. The Rev. J. T. Loeb.
Leroy Tate, 20, Beaver Dam, Va., and Mary Wilson Rice, 23, Beaver Dam, Va. The Rev. Allan F. Poore.
Frederick Haskell Dominick, 52, Newberry, S. C., and Alva Maulde Beser, 34, Passaic, N. J. The Rev. J. Henry Harms.

DEATHS REPORTED.

Sara C. Upton, 87 yrs., 1723 19th st. nw.
Leonidas F. Hunt, 80 yrs., 4320 14th st. nw.
Mary E. Dodson, 78 yrs., 1634 Monroe st. nw.
William Cable, 72 yrs., Garfield Hosp.
William F. Bopp, 70 yrs., 201 Rock Creek Church rd. nw.
Bertrand C. Moore, 68 yrs., 1338 Randolph st. nw.
John S. Garner, 58 yrs., 412 2d st. nw.
Carrie Elliott, 55 yrs., 1322 10th st. nw.
Nina Smethers, 44 yrs., Garfield Hosp.
Kenneth L. Crump, 38 yrs., Sibley Hosp.
James Williams, 37 yrs., Tuberculosis Hosp.
Harriet Hunter, 74 yrs., 1515 P st. nw.
Alfred A. Williams, 74 yrs., Home for Aged and Infirm.
Maggie Colbert, 68 yrs., St. Elizabeths Hosp.
Mary Lucas, 54 yrs., 244 K st. sw.
Alexander Hill, 44 yrs., 1325 Quackenbos st. nw.
Cora Swigsett, 42 yrs., 51 Quincy st. nw.
Mamie S. Jones, 35 yrs., 1113 Stevens rd. se.
Anthony C. Stevenson, 35 yrs., in truck at Truxton circle.
Rota Cook, 22 yrs., Tuberculosis Hosp.

Daily O'Currences

By JOHN DALY

"I SEE," said Luella, reading the paper, "where William Gillette is coming to town. He's the man who invented the safety razor, isn't he? The kind you use?"

Come to think of it, Luella is too young to remember Gillette in his old play, now being revived.

"No," I told her, "Gillette long ago was in 'Secret Service'——"

"A detective!"

"No, an actor. His old play, the one that made him famous, the one he's bringing back to the stage, is—well, for the moment its title slips my mind —— But it's something like, let's see, er, uh, 'Shylock'——"

"Oh, 'The Merchant of Venice.' I saw Otis Sothern play that once——"

She meant, of course, E. H. Skinner, with Julia Sanderson in "The Girl of the Golden West."

"That's not the play," I told her; "The Gillette comedy had something to do with Holmes——"

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"HOMES, Sweet Homes! Was that it?"

"No, a family name—Holmes. The first name had 'lock' in it, somewhere, like——"

"Flintlock?"

"I have it! 'Sherlock.' 'Sherlock Holmes.'"

"Oh!" shouted Luella, in glee, "I remember those stories, 'the Sherlock Holmes stories.' My brother used to read 'em to me. They were written by a man named Conan Doyle, weren't they? George M. Cohan Doyle?"

"I think his name was Conan Doyle."

"That's right. He also wrote 'The Grand Old Flag.'"

"Conan Doyle is an Englishman. You mean 'Francis Scott Key, who wrote 'The Star-Spangled Banner.'"

"Perhaps, but who was it wrote all these patriotic tunes like 'Yankee Doodle Dandy' and 'Three Cheers for the Red, White and Blue?'"

"David Warfield——"

"Warfield? The former Governor of Maryland? Old Gov. Warfield?"

"No, David Warfield, who played in the——"

"David Warfield in 'The Mustard Plaster,'" she mused, "I remember reading of that. It was a musical comedy, wasn't it?"

"IT wasn't 'The Mustard Plaster' —'The Music Master.'"

"You're wrong there," she said, "'The Music Master' is George Gerswin——"

"George Gerswin?"

"He wrote 'Rhapsody in Blue' and all those other operas."

"If 'Rhapsody in Blue' is grand opera, so is 'Elephant Breath Gray.'"

"Gray? You're thinking of 'Grey's Elegy in a Country Graveyard.'"

"Luella, you've got your color schemes mixed——"

"I'm no color-blind, I know that!"

"Well, why did you order a 'Yellow' the other night when we specifically wanted a 'Black and White?'"

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"BECAUSE——"

"Because? Why?"

"Because I was thinking of something else——"

"What?"

"The cold, gray dawn of the morning after——"

"What," I asked, "has that to do with the return of William Gillette in 'Sherlock Holmes?'"

Luella laughed outright. "I don't know. Who started this, anyway?"

"It must have been a couple of other people, but I know what Sherlock Holmes would say——"

"What?"

"Quick, Watson, the needle!"

LEWIS TAKES STAND IN HIS OWN DEFENSE

Thurmont Man Denies Claim of Companion That He Slew Deputy.

EXAMINED THREE HOURS

Special to The Washington Post.

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 18.—Charles Lewis, of Thurmont, jointly charged with Leslie Clark, Hagerstown, with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Clyde L. Hauver during a raid on a moonshine still near Thurmont last July 31, took the stand this afternoon and for three hours recited the details of the raid and what he knew of the shooting, but denied that he had fired the fatal shot. He was to be cross-examined tonight at the second night session since the trial began.

Lewis testified that he had heard shots fired and was some distance from the still with Leslie Clark, that he had seen no one fire the shots, not being in a position to observe who was doing the shooting. He also denied testimony of State witnesses that he had at any time threatened "to get by fair or foul means" Deputy Sheriff Redmond or that he had ever approached the deputy sheriff relative to leading the raiding party to the still. He did, however, say that Redmond had approached him on four different occasions and asked that he lead the raiding party, but he declared he declined to do so.

Lewis admitted that he was in possession of a revolver at the time of the shooting, having taken it from the front seat of his machine when he saw the raiding party start into the mountain after the still; that he did so in order that no one would take it from the front seat of the car, that after the shooting he had hidden it beneath a tree stump not desiring to have it found upon him because he might be suspected of having taken part in the shooting. Lewis said he remarked to Clark after the shooting: "I wonder if they got any of the boys," meaning the moonshiners.

After he had hidden his gun, Lewis testified that he had returned to the scene of the shooting, had carried water for the dying Hauver and had helped move him from the scene. He was taken into custody that night and was released the next day. He and his uncle, Samuel Lewis, former State's attorney, returned to the scene the next day, he said, and got the gun he had hidden. He admitted that the revolver which the State exhibited was his gun.

The State had closed its case earlier in the day by placing on the stand Sheriff William Roderick, Frederick, and Deputy Sheriff Charles Cushwa, Hagerstown, both of whom told of confessions made by Leslie Clark to them, when he named Lewis as the actual slayer, and admitted that he was near Lewis when he fired the shot which he said killed Hauver.

E. Conde Wilson Buried In Allegany Cemetery

Special to The Washington Post.

Frostburg, Md., Dec. 18.—The funeral of E. Conde Wilson, aged 57, retired merchant, who died Sunday, was held this afternoon from his home, with the Rev. J. Luther Neff, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, officiating. Burial was in Allegany Cemetery.

Mr. Wilson is survived by his wife and three children—Carl, of Wheeling, W. Va.; Emory, of Frostburg, and Mrs. A. V. Schell, Cumberland.

Cumberland Store Held Up by Trio

Langer Robbery Is Second in Two Nights; Bandits Flee in Auto.

Special to The Washington Post.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 18.—August H. Langer, grocer, was held up and robbed by three automobile bandits last night, marking the second holdup in two nights in which the participants, three men in each case have escaped. Israel H. Sack, merchant, was held up the previous night, it is thought, by the same trio. The bandits traveled in a large car. Two men entered Langer's store and covered Langer and several customers with revolvers, while the third took about $75 from the cash register.

Two men entered the Sack store and made a purchase and when Sack opened the cash drawer to make change they covered him with revolvers and forced him and his son, Bryan, to lie on the floor face down after taking their watches and money. They looted the register and took men's furnishings. It is thought the third man remained in the automobile.

CHRISTMAS PARDONS FOR 29 IN MARYLAND

One Woman Included in List of Prisoners Who Will Get Yule Clemency.

FOUR ARE NEARBY CASES

Special to The Washington Post.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 18.—Gov. Albert C. Ritchie today essayed his annual role of Santa Claus by extending clemency in behalf of prisoners serving terms in penal institutions, as a result of which Yuletide pardons will be handed to a total of 29 inmates on Christmas Eve and they will be enabled to eat Christmas dinner with the folks at home.

All save one who are to gain their freedom are men. The woman is Mabel Swann, who has served all but two months of a three-year sentence in the penitentiary for second-degree murder, committed in Garrett County. The governor personally investigated this case. Aside from the fact that her sentence has nearly expired, the woman only recently recovered from a serious operation performed in the institution, and the governor has been assured that she will not go back to western Maryland, but her family will care for her in New York. She has an enfeebled mother of 80 years living there who is anxious to have her daughter with her.

Four of the men to be released from prison walls were convicted either in Montgomery or Prince Georges counties.

Summarized, these cases are as follows:

Joseph Etter, sentenced in Montgomery County to two years in the house of correction for burglary; has served somewhat more than half his term, has been an excellent prisoner and will go back to his home town in Virginia, where he has been promised a steady job.

Ollie Commodore, Negro, sentenced in Prince Georges County to three years in the penitentiary for larceny of a pocketbook containing $8; has served all of his term except about four months; has been a good prisoner and is promised employment and supervision by a reputable merchant.

Oliver Dorsey Ayers, Negro, sentenced in Prince Georges County to three years in the penitentiary for stealing 27 chickens with two other men; ten more months of his term remain; his family will take care of him and see that he gets steady employment.

George C. Flynn, sentenced in Prince Georges County to six months in the house of correction for assaulting his wife during a quarrel; about a month and a half of his term remain; he is now on friendly terms with his wife and his former employer will give him a position.

Virginia Members Of A. P. Will Meet

Handling of News to Be Discussed in Richmond January 7.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 18 (A.P.).—Virginia members of the Associated Press will hold their semiannual meeting at Murphy's Hotel in Richmond at 9 o'clock on the morning of January 7.

The handling of news during the sessions of the General Assembly is expected to be one of the most important questions discussed. Officers are to be elected also. Henry D. Perkins, managing editor of the Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch, has been chairman of the Virginia members for the last two years.

Publishers of newspapers which are members of the Associated Press will be accompanied to the meeting on January 7 by managing editors and telegraph editors. Among the publishers expected to attend are the following:

Charles J. Harkrader, Briston Herald-Courier; Munsey Slack, Bristol News-Bulletin; J. H. Lindsay, Charlottesville Daily Progress; Mrs. R. A. James, Danville Bee; R. A. James, Danville Register; Josiah P. Rowe, jr., Fredericksburg Free Lance-Star; H. F. Byrd, Harrisonburg News-Record; Powell Glass, Lynchburg Advance; Carter Glass, Lynchburg News; L. E. Pugh, Newport News Daily Press; Lewis T. Jester, Newport News Times-Herald; S. L. Slover, Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch; L. D. Starke, Norfolk Virginia-Pilot and Norfolk Landmark; Walter E. Harris, Petersburg Index-Progress; Norman R. Hamilton, Portsmouth Star; John Stewart Bryan, Richmond News-Leader, Charles P. Hasbrook, Richmond Times-Dispatch; W. E. Thomas, Roanoke Times; Junius Parker Fishburn, Roanoke World-News; E. W. Opie, Staunton Leader; H. L. Opie, Staunton News-Leader; Channing P.